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MUST KNOW NUMBER

THE NAMES WILL PROBABLY BE DRAWN BY SATURDAY.

COMPLETE LIST GIVEN

Charges That Draft Is "Dice Loaded" and Favors South Brought in Senate This Afternoon.

The Democrat-Forum has been printing the serial numbers of the young men of this county who registered June 5 under the recent draft act. Every man should know the number by which he will be called. The number on your registration certificate is not the number by which you will be called.

A complete list of those who registered and their serial numbers as made up by the local exemption board is posted at the office of Sheriff Davidson in the court house. A list is also at the Democrat-Forum office.

Indications are that the numbers will be drawn Saturday according to a dispatch from Washington today.

In today's list printed below are the young men whose post office addresses are Burlington Junction, Parnell, Ravenwood, Bedison and Stanberry.

Burlington Junction.
22 Roy Lee Whitely, 43 Ira Leroy Whittington, 57 Roy Frank Traylor, 68 William Hanson, Williams, 77 Bert Leslie Fanning, 91 Jesse Olsen Whittington.

113 Charles Erving Timmons, 136 James J. Tobin, 159 Charles Ernest Timmons, 182 Robert Emmett Tobin, 183 Ora Edward Waller.

205 Isaac Sheddick Timmons, 206 Leslie Walter, 214 Charles Harold Ewing, 228 Albie B. Treasler, 229 Walter Brooks, 271 O. A. Carmichael, 369 Dick G. Brooks, 371 James Emmett Cummins, 389 Walter Sigel, 390 Earl Legandias Beare, 394 Phil Herman Corben.

440 Charlie David Wagner, 417 J. Dale Carter, 455 Harry Ernest Wilson, 458 Coral Ellis Black, 440 Robert Emerson Caudle, 441 George Henry Cobb, 458 Roy E. Wedge, 483 Christopher C. Bears, 485 Forrest Chester Corben, 492 Charles Elmo Hood.

508 Benjamin Clyde Caldwell, 531 Harvey Sylvester Culver, 540 Charles D. Lane, 554 Charles Hubert Colwell, 568 James Vernon Reed, 572 Harry Calmes, 586 Floyd Lewis, 600 Charles Wesley Cornell, 623 Freddie Leslie Culver, 646 Hubert Stanley Corben, 664 Fred Webster, 669 Walter Bethel Cole, 682 Harry Woodard Pettis, 687 Franklin Perry West, 692 William Patrick Cummins, 705 Harry Melvin Pivotal, 710 Charles Williams, 715 Charles Frank Carter, 735 Lewis Elton, 738 Samuel Miller Chamberlain, 751 William McKinley Puetz, 753 William Franklin Short, 761 Wilson Vernon Claypool, 778 Phil Ernest Snyder, 781 Avery William Ashely, 779 John Dillon Smith.

804 Delta Harvey Arnold, 809 Ernest Franklin Dale, 822 George A. Sallie, 827 Loren Ashely, 829 J. C. Davis, Jr., 845 Clyde Earl Shaddock, 850 John Wesley Ashbrook, 851 Luke Edward Bowman, 864 William Francis Shelton, 861 Paul D. Shell, 892 Charles Edward Furst, 914 Thomas Ivan Staffors, 937 Fred Charles Shell, 960 Loren Edwin Smith, 989 Elijah Dale Bailey, 1001 Walter Mendonhall, 1003 John Frank McMahon, 1019 Clarence Owen Hester, 1024 Boies Campbell Malone, 1026 Strand Lee McCoy, 1047 Marvin Ray Miller, 1049 Henry Lee McClain, 1070 Everett Harrier Morrison, 1080 Orr Dwight Adkins, 1116 Dale Allen Moore, 1139 Charles Leslie Maines, 1162 Albert Monk, 1183 Alvin Blair Kingery, 1185 James E. Monk, 1263 John R. Yates, 1265 John Princess Beavins, 1288 Kyle C. Bearce.

1311 Clifford Earl Brown, 1334 Jack E. Barker, 1434 Ivan C. Kelley, 1457 Adrian Byron Brown, 1467 Walter Carl Kidney, 1478 Lee Gerald Yarle, 1380 Harry Boyer, 1388 Bertram Kenell Hankins, 1403 Orr Bachman, 1411 Fred Carl Hiles, 1419 Fred Melville Reed, 1424 Andrew Basil Yates, 1434 Harley D. Hamm, 1442 Elma Franklin Richey, 1449 Glenn Byron Joehner, 1457 Allen J. Henry, 1459 Don Kingery, 1465 Roy Alexander Rains, 1472 Ralph Raymond Banner, 1477 Fred Cole Fleming, 1480 Earl William Hollis, 1495 John Reul, 1500 Chester Allan Hagen, 1541 Clarence Edward Ballenger, 1545 Alonzo Thompson

Season, 1546 Cicero Alexander Farrens, 1548 Garland O. Hendrick, 1549 Edward Samuel Harrison, 1564 Tronget Christian Butner, 1568 Ira Mark Dalrymple, 1569 Roy Pinnell, 1572 Clarence Edwin Hendrick, 1583 Seneca Theodore, 1584 Ausdall, 1587 Evan Bailey, 1591 Calvin Basil David, 1595 Henry Everett Heath.

1610 Ray Herman Boyer, 1614 Ira Dix, 1618 Edwin Allen Hollis, 1626 Benjamin George Rogers, 1637 Alva Emory Dodge, 1640 Mark R. Hiles, 1641 William Herschel House, 1664 Lawson Arthur Hartness, 1665 Elmer Collin Johnston, 1683 Rella A. Dicks, 1687 Ray Dorance Hackett.

1709 Fred Vince Horn, 1710 Clyde Lester Horn, 1718 Frank Rhodes, 1741 Clarence Earl Rhoades, 1755 George Ora Howell, 1826 Harry Sherman Jones, 1867 Leonard Arnold Davey.

1900 Herbert Edwin Cohler, 1922 Edgar Roy Owens, 1942 Ed E. Merritt, 1964 John Byren Martin, 1985 John David Miller, 1986 Fred Nicholas.

Mollie Orin W. Griffey, 2007 James William Messbarger, 2023 Benjamin Ernest Gosard, 2029 Roy Augustus Messbarger, 2030 Harry Nicholas, 2043 Parnell Greenish, 2048 W. J. McArthur, 2051 Clarence Henry Miller, 2065 Leo Lester Dale, 2076 Ernest Arthur Riley, 2089 Joseph Nicholas Graves, 2098 Rella H. Rees.

2111 Oliver Gray, 2133 Earl George Graham, 2177 Horace Scruggs Gray, 2264 Knox Irvin Fast.

2304 Shubert Alva Coffelt, 55 William Ray Good, 66 John Elmer Stevenson, 73 Taylor Robert Crider, 88 Arch Walton Spenceman, 96 Robert Harvey Coffelt.

105 Rufus Hubert Lawson, 128 Everett Edward Lawson, 135 Earl Sturm, 142 La Verne Madonia Collinsworth, 147 Grant J. Gales, 165 Walter Edward Chaucey, 170 Roy Gay, 174 Hart Keller Lewis, 181 Claude Leo Stockstill, 197 Cecil Eugene Lawson.

204 Wiley Houston, 211 Milo Thomas, 216 Thomas Aloysius Graham, 220 Ralph Everett Lewis, 227 George Slander Standefer.

233 Smith Creed Long, 342 Edgar Bernard Spenceman, 363 Aloysius Roseler, 385 Loren Dale Rhodes, 408 Anthony Vincent Roseler, 476 John Roseler, 499 Charles Henry Reed.

522 Frank Alva Ewart Rose, 702 John Harvey Midyett, 707 Clarence Alvin Shank, 748 Ira Edward Moore, 771 Newton Moore, 817 Manning Moore, 840 Frederick Anselm Messbarger, 848 William Edward Walker, 863 Johnnie Jarriel Montgomery, 886 Virgil Oscar Moore.

928 Leonard Hawley, 935 Lloyd Earl Powell, 951 Marvin Vastine Horton, 957 Ezra Clarkson McMullen, 980 Henry Tarleton McMillin, 983 Alpha Lee Powell, 997 Eugene Oscar Horton.

1030 William Carl Holtman, 1066 George T. Houschka, 1068 John Wesley Kirkbride, 1087 Charles Joseph Holtman, 1095 John Henry McCann.

1112 Orlando William Hawk, 1114 Andrew Conrad Kimmel, 1133 Charles L. Hunt, 1136 Henry Henry, 1171 George W. Wright, 1181 Paul Hendrick, 1194 George Washington Walker.

1204 Verne Charles Emerson, 1321 Carl Richard Harry Floyd Fryar, 1362 Leland Melville Fryar, 1385 Alpha Roy Fleming, 1453 John Amos Dock, 1476 Hiram Lester David.

1504 Roy Jackson, 1550 Lester Earl Jasper, 1696 Clarence C. Steiger, 1746 Orville Edward Ziegler, 1748 Arthur Bayington, 1771 Charles Hap Blakemore, 1794 Wendell Alexander Bennett.

1817 James Arch Boggs, 1831 Carl Richard Ogelsby, 1840 William Boggs, 1854 James O'Brien, 1863 Howard Johnson Reddie, 1877 Chester Arthur O'Banion, 1886 Hallie Martin Bradley.

1922 Virgil Chauncey Burns, 1987 Charles Edward O'Banion, 2094 Chalmers Loomis, 2167 Thomas Roy Tenney, 2189 Ray Thompson, 2255 Roy Hopp Thompson, 2277 Bryan Everett Thompson.

11 Charles O. Parnell, 27 Isaac Walter Curtis, 34 Harold E. Benson, 53 Elias Henry Echterling, 76 Ira Clarence Eismann, Gilbert Mile Gray, 99 August Frederick Echterling.

134 Orle V. Shellman, 151 Andrew Byrd Lockhart, 157 Joseph E. Spire, 158 Dale C. Lockhart, 180 Forbes E. Starr, 188 Cecil McClain, 193 Forrest Frank Griffey, 239 Harold E. Gooden, 242 Carl C. Kilien, 265 H. Noble Kias, 324 Nelson C. Kiliam, 341 Van Daren Stites, 373 William A. Dukes, 383 Ben F. McClain.

406 Charles E. McClain, 456 Emmett Leroy Messner, 679 Willie Riley, Miller, 689 Joseph Hermon Affart, 703 Wyatt W. Miller, 718 F. Ray Evans, 726 James D. Morton, 739 John Andrew Willis, 749 Charles G. Murdoch, 756 Ray A. Wood, 772 Francis M. Murphy, 779 Varrell Wilcox, 794 Emmett Miller, 795 Bernard T. Muse.

803 Darrell Ford Wells, 818 Troy H. Miller, 821 Arthur H. Ross, 825 Alonzo Elmer Wolcott, 841 Frank B. Meyer, 844 Solomon T. Reeves, 864 C. O. Miller, 867 Robert H. Riley, 890 Wilson W. Reeves, 891 Henry Cris Klauke, 1107 Elva E. Crenshaw, 1113 William Bert Ingram, 1130 Philip Collins, 1136 Lee Ingram, 1148 Alex Charles Waldeier, 1153 Fay E. Carmichael, 1176 Adolph Cox, 1199 Roy E. Curry, 1217 Lawrence Wilcox, 1261 Howard Lehman, 1265 Alvin Albert Bonnes.

1427 Ralph Elmer Boyd, 1462 George Elbert Night, 1485 Robert Jacob Night, C. B. Bink, 1495 William E. Allman, 1508 Abraham C. Needles, 1515 Everett H. Wilson, 1517 George William Arnold, 1538 Homer J. Wisely, 1540 Ven Arnold, 1542 Newcomb, 1561 Mack Woods, 1582 Fred Teeters, 1584 Reginald C. Welch, 1588 Roy Blanton.

1605 Blaine Thummler, 1607 George T. Wilson, 1611 Benjamin H. Brashear, 1628 Charles Teeters, 1630 Lawrence E. Watson, 1653 Odley P. White, 1657 Jeff Bailey, 1676 John H. Wilson, 1680 Joe Birkenholz, 1694 Walter M. Paxton, 1699 Oscar W. White, 1703 Charles R. Bulett, 1717 Loren Paxton, 1726 Homer A. Brummett, 1736 Herbert H. Lawler, 1749 Albert R. Bennett, 1753 Martin B. Farrell, 1759 Charles F. Logan, 1768 Lloyd Thomas Woodburn, 1772 Ross Baulbills, 1774 Jacob W. Fletcher, 1728 Roy E. Laird, 1795 Francis M. Bennett, 1818 Roy Birkenholz, 1908 Leslie Elmer Black, 1930 Everett E. Bentley.

2120 Wiley Cecil Robey, 2211 Dorsey Vern Treese, 2245 Vern Tefflin, 2252 Arley Ambert Robey, 2257 Jesse J. Hawk, 2265 Joseph L. Judd.

800 Morey Evert Smith, 801 Alvin Martin Thompson, 833 Floyd D. Sanford Evans, 869 Ceal Miles Stewart, 1007 Bert Swearingen, 1581 Dale Stewart, 1719 Charles Smith, 1767 Herman Otis Womack.

Stanberry.
64 Floyd R. Rounds, 413 Clarence Wells, 614 John Leo Runde, 691 Clarence E. Beatty, 972 John M. Gleaves, 1275 Raymond W. King, 1742 Raymond L. Summers, 1788 Elbert Short, 1811 Rector H. Smith, 1857 Anthony J. Steinhauser, 1940 Virgil F. Laughlin, 2011 Russell C. Laughlin, 2139 Abram Vanburen Murphy.

Guest From Shenandoah.
Miss Mabel Whitehead of Shenandoah, arrived in Maryville Friday and spent the week-end with Miss Myrtle Hogue.

Misses Gaynel Wayman, Frieda Carson, Uva Etter; George Yantis, Byron Cox and June Blagg drove to Bigelow yesterday and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Newcomer of Parnell are in Maryville on business today.

WANT TO REGISTER CALL MILITIAMEN

MARYVILLE WOMEN WONDER IF WORK WILL BE DONE HERE.

NO PLANS FOR JULY 28 NEED 3 MAJOR GENERALS

Fear That Registered Women May Be Called From Home Duties Is Groundless, Authorities Say.

Women in Maryville who are anxious to register for home service during the war are wondering whether or not they will have a chance to do so Saturday, July 28. As yet, the proposition has not been taken up in Maryville, and it is probable that the valiant ones in Maryville will not get to sign up.

Several women of the city have been approached on the subject of taking the registration work in charge, but they say that they have not the time to handle it, and consequently, the "woman of the hour," has yet to come forward to do this patriotic service.

Some women say that they would not register anyway, because they fear that they will be drafted. They think that they will have to leave their positions and homes and go to Europe with the soldiers. The Kansas City Star answers these misinformed women as follows:

"These women miss the whole point and purpose of women's registration, the leaders say. The object of registration is to record for the government what the women are doing in the way of production, what they could do, and what they are willing to do. Working in a store or taking care of mother is just as much service as working a machine gun or driving a fighting airplane. There is no idea of changing the employment of those who are gainfully engaged. There is the purpose, however, of putting to use the idle woman."

Governor Gardner has not, as rumored, declared July 28 a holiday. But at the request of the State Council of Defense he has issued a proclamation recommending that the day be observed as "Patriotic Day" throughout Missouri and that meetings be held in every community to study the problems of the war.

ELMO WOMAN IS DEAD

Mrs. Lavina Abbott Succumbs to Complication of Diseases After Several Months' Illness.

Mrs. Lavina Abbott, 73 years old, died at her home in Elmo at 3:50 o'clock yesterday morning after an illness of several months, resulting from a complication of diseases.

The funeral was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at her home, the Rev. Robert C. Holliday of Maryville officiating. Burial was in High Prairie cemetery.

Mrs. Abbott is survived by one son, Alvin Abbott, of Elmo, by two brothers and two sisters. One of her sisters, Mrs. George Rice, lives in Elmo.

BARN TOTALLY DESTROYED

Fire of Unknown Cause Breaks Out in Structure on Teaney Farm Near Ravenwood.

A large barn on the farm of Roy Teaney, two miles south of Ravenwood, was totally destroyed by fire which was discovered at 11:30 o'clock last night. The cause of the fire is not known.

In the barn were two sets of work harness, three sets of single harness, one-half ton of hay and 150 bushels of corn, besides a number of farm implements.

The loss, which has not been estimated, was partly covered by insurance. The silo near the barn was slightly damaged.

BRINGS SUIT FOR DIVORCE.

Stella Fern Ecker Charges Abandonment in Petition for Separation.

Stella Fern Ecker of Elmo brought suit for divorce against Elmer L. Ecker in the circuit clerk's office today on the grounds of abandonment. The petition states they were married in this county on August 16, 1912, and lived together until March 1, 1916. The care and custody of two minor children are asked for. E. G. Cook is the attorney for the plaintiff. The defendant is a non-resident of this state.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Newcomer of Parnell are in Maryville on business today.

120,000 WILL BE SENT TO TRAINING CAMPS IN TWO WEEKS.

Wilson Is Expected to Nominate Men Immediately to Command New Units—From 11 States.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Washington, July 16.—One hundred twenty-one thousand militiamen were called into service yesterday and will be held two weeks before being sent to training camps. These were the orders sent to General Bell of the eastern department and General Barry of the central department, directing them to assume command. The militia of eleven states were called out yesterday. The date of moving to the training camps mainly depends upon when the camps are ready for the men. They are being medically examined now. Five major-generals are needed to command yesterday's units but only two are available now. The president is expected to nominate three immediately.

FEDS BEAT STUPPYS, 9-6

St. Joseph's Fast Amateur Team Unable to Out-Class Maryville Players—600 See Game.

The fastest amateur team in St. Joseph was defeated by Maryville in a baseball game at the Fair Grounds yesterday afternoon with a score of 9-6. The St. Joseph Stuppy's played a good game but were unable to come up to their opponents. The game was noted for the number of hits on both sides. About 600 persons were in attendance.

The line-up for the St. Josephs was: Stephens, c; M. Still, p; Tilton, 1b; V. Walker, 2b; Scott, ss; Miller, 3b; Black II; L. Walker, cf; R. Still, rf.

The next game will be Sunday, when the St. Josephs meet the Burlington Junction team at the Fair Grounds in the third contest of the season. Burlington Junction and Maryville each has a game to its credit. Much interest is being shown regarding the winner of the third game and a good contest is expected.

TREES SYMBOLS OF LIFE

The Rev. Gilbert S. Cox Gives Significance of This Form of Plant Life in Nature Sermon.

"There are three trees in the Bible that gather up the principal facts in the life of man," said the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox in his last night's nature sermon.

"The first of these is the tree of knowledge of good and evil, which is a symbol of an experience through which each man passes in his life time."

"The second is the tree of death, of which Christ was crucified and from which flows life to all those who have faith in the Redeemer."

"The third tree is the tree of life that grows in the Paradise of God. It is the symbol of immortal life and is spoken of in Revelations thus, 'To Him that overcometh evil shall be given the right to eat of the Tree of Life.'"

Mr. Cox gave the significance of the tree in religion from the beginning. He said that the early Asiatic families had their own sacred tree and that the symbol of the Buddhist religion was the fig or bo tree. He also mentioned the fact that one of the most delightful celebrations of the Christian religion was built around the Christmas tree.

CHARGED WITH TRIPLE MURDER.

George Thompkins of Phila. Pa. Accused of Killing Partner, Wife and Son Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Carrollton, Pa., July 16.—George Thompkins of Philadelphia, was formally charged with triple murder of Edward Humphries, a wealthy coal operator, his wife and son. The information was read to Thompkins in the county jail. "Before God I am innocent," the accused exclaimed. "My hands are clean of this." Thompkins was a business partner of Humphries who was slain while all four were motoring near their summer home.

Alex Fraser Arrested.

Alex Fraser was arrested Saturday afternoon on a charge of peddling without a license. He was bound over until the September term of court.

ROUTING HIM OUT.



—Seibel in Albany Knickerbocker Press.

11,000 AT HOME COMING

Palestine Community Has Most Successful Home Coming in Years—Harmony Sends Delegation.

Palestine had its most successful homecoming yesterday when 11,000 persons from all parts of the county and from neighboring counties gathered at the church for the celebration. Two hundred cars were parked on the grounds during the day, the Harmony delegation alone having twenty-eight cars in the representation.

The dinner, which was served by the women of the community shortly after the noon hour, was highly praised both for quality and quantity, but this part of the program was no more enjoyable than the morning and afternoon speeches and songs which were heard by the majority of the visitors in the church.

Miss Eva Davis and G. B. Roseberry took advantage of the day to give Sunday school work a boost. Miss Davis gave her talk on "The Value of Story Telling," with pictorial and sand table illustrations. Mr. Roseberry told the Graham folks how to run a small Sunday school in a speech entitled, "Hash and Pep." The sermon for the church hour was preached by the Rev. C. R. Green of Harmony, who gave his views on the war.

The dinner was followed by a musical and speech-making program, the assistants being Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Prof. P. O. Landon, H. J. Becker, Hal Catterson and the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. Mr. Cox and Emmett Bishop of Ravenwood talked on war subjects. The Rev. S. D. Harlan presided.

LEONARD BABY TO MOTHER

Judge Dawson Orders Child Given Each Sunday to Father, Who Must Support Her.

The custody of Wilma Esther Leonard, 2 years old, was given to her mother, Mary Leonard, by Judge Dawson in circuit court late Saturday afternoon in a contest over the possession of the child. The court dismissed the writ of habeas corpus as to the defendant, Mary Pike, the child's grandmother, and granted Floyd Leonard, the father, the right to have the child each Sunday and to return her to her mother each Sunday evening. The court also ordered the father to pay to her mother the sum of \$2 a week for the support of the child.

BODY FOUND IN RIVER.

Port Collins, Colo., July 16.—The body, believed to be Claude Foster of Clinton, Mo., is being held here for identification. He was found in the river and a registration card bearing Foster's name was on the body. It is believed that the body has been in the water three weeks. He probably fell from the bank into the river.

MORE TROUBLE IN GREECE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Zurich, July 16.—The situation is serious in Greece. Despite King Alexander's pro-ally utterances, differences have arisen between the King and Premier Venizelos because the former clings to his father's pro-German sentiment.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday.

WILL HURRY DRAFT

EACH MAN HAS SERIAL NUMBER FOR DRAFT CALL.

STATES URGED TO REPORT

Number on Registration Card Is Not Number By Which You Will Be Drafted.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Washington, July 16.—General Crowder is hurrying preparations for the draft. He has wired the twelve states which have not yet reported urging complete reports by Tuesday night, so that the names may be drawn by Saturday.

General Crowder will hold a newspaper man's school a few hours before the drawing explaining the plan and how the draft must be handled.

Compromise Food Bill.

Washington, July 16.—An agreement to compromise the food control bill, clearly resembling the administration's original measure was arranged this afternoon by the bi-partisan leaders in their conferences.

Say Draft Is "Dice Loaded."

Washington, July 16.—Charges in the senate this afternoon that the draft is "dice loaded" and that the census bureau figures in the north had been padded for the benefit of the south were followed by the adoption of a resolution by Senator Brandegee of Connecticut calling upon the Secretary of Commerce to furnish the official figures upon which the draft quotas in the various localities are based.

INVESTIGATING RECENT RIOTS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
East St. Louis, July 16.—A triple investigation of the recent riots is now under way. The military board and the coroner's jury are taking evidence here. The grand jury at Belleville and the militia on duty will be sent home tomorrow.

40 I. W. W.'S ARRESTED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Klamath Falls, July 16.—Forty I. W. W.'s were jailed following the clean-up here today. The organization has been accused of burning a big flour mill and the members are being arrested on sight.

AMBULANCE CORPS TO FRONT.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Paris, July 16.—Two sections of the American ambulance corps left for the front today. It is understood that they will be put into active service immediately.

NEW CHANCELLOR SPEAKS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Amsterdam, July 16.—Dr. George Michaelis, the new German chancellor, will deliver his first speech in the Reichstag. He is expected to announce his program.

3-LOST ON SUBMARINED SHIP.

Washington, July 16.—The state department was advised of the submerging of the American steamer Grace, when three lives were lost and five were injured in the explosion of the cargo of petroleum.

Russ Take 30,643 Prisoners.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Petrograd, July 16.—Between July 11 and July 13, the Russians captured 30,643 Germans, ninety-three cannon and 493 machine guns.

BREWER TO WAR CAMP.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Columbia, Mo., July 16.—The War Department has directed C. L. Brewer, athletic director at the University of Missouri to take charge of athletics at a Southern army cantonment camp. He will not make public the name of the camp until later, he said.

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Electric Theatre Tonight

5c and 10c—5c and 10c

Richard Bennett

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TO AN OLD FRIEND.

How dear to my heart are the beans of my childhood.
Which fond, colored mammy presented to view;
The great pan of corn pone, the thick slab of bacon,
The pot of those baked beans we all loved she knew.
The smell was delicious as we all sat waiting
Our turn to be served as they came down the line.
And we could have plenty, in fact, all we wanted—
For nothing was cheaper and few things so fine.

Chorus:
Oh, sweet-smelling baked beans!
Oh, plain little white beans!
The cheap little soup beans,
The dish that's sublime.
Today I went shopping to buy things much needed,
Some beans I must have if I bought nothing more;
And down at a grocer's I gave him a dollar
And had twenty beans when I left his old store.
I'm having them strung as a necklace for baby,
And not again soon any beans shall I buy,
But one I will keep as a souvenir always—
And in a few weeks we shall say with a sigh:

Chorus:
Oh, dear priceless baked beans!
Oh, precious small white beans!
Oh, high-priced good soup beans,
That money can't buy!

—Mrs. G. A. Smith,
in Capper's Weekly.
Rock Port, Mo.

CONTENT.

(By Robert Greene).
Sweet are the thoughts that savour of content.
The quiet mind is richer than a crown,
Sweet are the nights in careless slumber spent,
The poor estate scorn's fortune's angry frown;
Such sweet content, such minds, such sleep, such bliss,
Beggars enjoy, when princes oft do miss.
The homely house that harbors quiet rest,
The cottage that affords no pride nor care,

The Modern Spirit

of co-operation, the spirit which animates all successful business, prevails in the organization of our Federal Reserve Bank.

We own stock in it. We keep our reserve cash in it. We have a voice in electing its directors and through them in choosing its management. It is our bank, and its resources enable us at all times to meet the legitimate banking requirements of our community.

You, in turn, can co-operate with us in maintaining the Federal Reserve Banking System, and at the same time share in its benefits and protection by becoming one of our depositors.

First National Bank

Member Federal Reserve System

THE OPEN DOOR. BUT ONE TO BE WATCHED.



—Cesare in New York Post.

The mean that grees with country music best,
The sweet consort of mirth and modest fare,
Obscured life sets down a type of bliss:
A mind content both crown and kingdom is.

* COMMUNICATION. *

Patriotic Registration for All United States Women.

The government at Washington has asked the women of the country to register for service.

Governor Gardner has issued a proclamation for Missouri designating July 28 as "Patriotic Day" and requests that on that day every woman in the state tell the Government what she is doing and what she is willing to do to help her country during the period of the war. Though the questions are asked whether or not you will go abroad, go any place in the United States, etc., to serve, it should be emphasized that you can serve your country noble without leaving your home, or your own home town. As to sorts of service now under 154 heads there is one sort at least to which every woman should pledge herself.

As the registration lists of the women are to be used by two departments of the Government, (1) the Council of National Defense, and (2) the Hoover Administration — each woman of the country when she goes to register July 28 will sign two slips. These will be separately bundled and sent to their respective Washington headquarters.

It is estimated that from Missouri alone will come 1,800,000 registrations. Of course the machinery for the organization of the State has been set in motion. There is one Vice Chairman for each of the districts. These Vice Chairmen will appoint an organizer for every county in their district. The county organizers will appoint an organizer for each town in her county. The work of the Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense is divided into the following departments: Red Cross, Food Conservation, Relief, Women in Industry, Education, Finance, Speakers, and Registration. Until after Patriotic Day, July 28, every woman in the state is asked as her patriotic duty to concern herself mainly with Registration. Service is divided into trained and untrained, paid and volunteer. There are other divisions of Agriculture, Home Duties, Clerical, — in a word, every kind of work for which need may arise if the war continues for a long time.

The Hoover Pledge for which registration will be made on the same day and at the same places as the Council of National Defense Pledge, is to enroll the housewives of the nation into a National Thrift Army. The plan of producers has been outlined by Mr. Hoover and the pledge, uniform over the United States, was written by him.

Newspapers, public speakers and printed matter will be used in the effort to procure on that day a registration of which Missouri will be proud. At the time of this writing 50 women have pledged themselves as speakers to campaign the state.

Women of the State of Missouri, give written evidence of your patriotism by registering on July 28.

(Mrs. E. M.) Althea Somerville Grossman, 6022 Clemens Ave., St. Louis, Mo., Press Committee Missouri State Suff. Association.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

List of instruments filed in the Recorder's office in Maryville, Nodaway county, Missouri, beginning July 7.

Warranty Deeds.

George L. Wilfley to Charles M. Hartness, lots 4, 5 and 6, block 4, Bartlett's Add. to Maryville, \$1,800.

Virginia C. Henry to Jesse F. Robertson, lots 5, 6 and 7, block 27, Burlington Junction, \$1.

Robert T. Campbell to Barton L. Monroe, lot 12, block 7, J. M. Lamar Add to Elmo, \$100.

Paulina F. Ross to Simon P. Ross, lot 7, block 2, Ravenwood, \$1,250.

Adolph Lippman et al to James L. Felix, part lots 5 and 6, block 7, Maryville, \$2,400.

Quit-Claim Deeds.

Goolman Griffey to Robert T. Lamar, N½, N½, SE, 28, 66, 37, \$1.

Rebecca J. Lamme to same, N, 10 acres, W½, SE, 28, 66, 37, \$1.

Lowell B. Campbell to Mary Heath Masters, part block 26, Barnard, \$1.

Moses Nusbaum to Della M. Hylop, one-third interest in Boiler and Fixtures in Ream Hotel, \$100.

Deed of Adoption.

Eugene J. Klaas adopts Mary Magdelene Poland.

WE'RE MAKING PROGRESS.

Count that day lost whose low descending sun

Sees no new monarch take it on the run.

Said the king of Greece to the king of Spain:

"Crowns are baubles and thrones are vain."

"I was going to speak that very piece."

Said the king of Spain to the king of Greece.

—Ex.

Returns to St. Joseph.

Miss Beatrix Winn of St. Joseph who has been the guest of Misses Beulah Brunner and Mildred Miller, for the last few days left this morning for her home. She will remain there a month and will then go to Manitou, Colo., for a visit.

Otis Lyle of near Arkoe shipped a car load of hogs to St. Joseph today.

CANNING METHODS FAIL

College of Agriculture Says Cause Is Probably Due to Bacteria Resistance This Year.

Reports have come to the University of Missouri College of Agriculture indicating that the method of canning vegetables which has proved completely successful in previous years is resulting in a number of failures this year. No satisfactory reason can be offered except that there is some evidence that the bacteria which cause canned vegetables to spoil are more resistant in some years than others. It is probable also that the inferior can rubbers and can tops on the market this year may be causing the trouble.

In the absence of a satisfactory explanation of the trouble which housewives have been having with canned vegetables, the College of Agriculture recommends that the period of sterilization for certain vegetables be increased in accordance with the following: The time for sterilizing asparagus, which was 1½ hours should be increased to 2 hours, pumpkin formerly 1½ hours increased to 2 hours, squash formerly 1 hour, increased to 2 hours, lima beans formerly 2 hours increased to 3 hours, peas formerly 2 hours increased to 3 hours.

This change in the time of sterilization does not mean that the shorter period is not correct with careful work and with conditions as they have been in previous years, but the longer period will tend to correct imperfect workmanship and the unusual conditions which seem to prevail this year.

The following points are again emphasized:

1. Do not begin to count time when the jars are placed in the canner, but wait until the water begins to boil hard.
2. Count time only while water is boiling hard. If it stops for only a few minutes, make up for lost time with longer boiling.

URGES CLOTHES SAVING

University Teacher Says That Conservation of Textile Materials Is as Important as That of Food.

While food conservation is especially important at this time, Miss Mary E. Robinson of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture, suggests that conservation of clothing is equally important. Miss Robinson has suggested that women economize on clothing not only to save money, but to conserve textile materials. Whenever possible, last season's clothing should be adapted to the present season.

If it is necessary to buy new garments, the number should be as small as possible. This is an excellent time to adopt some simple style of dress of serviceable materials and standard colors which may be worn more than one season. Hats, Miss Robinson suggests, should also be of simple style with little or no trimming. Last season's hats may be easily renovated and made very attractive.

Shoes do not always give the service that they should in view of their cost. The durable rather than the dainty style should be selected. Dainty shoes are necessarily short wearing.

The housewife may effect savings by pressing, dyeing, patching, darning, and re-making garments already on hand. When it is absolutely necessary to buy new clothing, thrift may be practiced by buying wisely and doing the sewing at home. In this way the housewife can perform a national service. At this time the embarrassment which formerly accompanied the wearing of last season's dress becomes an honor. In this way also the textiles which ordinarily are devoted to clothing may be relieved for the needs of soldiers, surgeons and nurses.

Pauline Frederick Tonight.

It is not very often that an author has an opportunity of creating upon the screen at least one of the characters which he has created in his own mind. In "Nanette of the Wilds," in which Pauline Frederick is being starred by the Famous Players Film company on the Paramount program, Willard Mack, the well known playwright and actor, appears in the role of O'Brien of the Royal Canadian Northwest Mounted Police. "Nanette of the Wilds" is the featured attraction at the Empire Theatre tonight.

Miss Margery Trout of Tarkio arrived yesterday to visit her cousin, Miss Mary Margaret Richey.

Will Linville of Skidmore is in Maryville on business today.

J. D. Ford will begin a residence on North Mulberry street this week.

Perfect title suits filed Friday were George W. Colter vs. John W. Brock, et al., and John R. Knisley vs. the unknown widow of John Huff-

man, deceased.

DEAL FOR STRAWBERRY BED

Freshly Broken Land Is Best, Provided It Has Been Planted to Some Cultivated Crop.

The strawberry leads the list of small fruits in popularity because of its wide range of adaptation to soil and climatic condition. The large number of varieties gives a long season of the most delicious fruit. Its ease of culture and its early season of bearing make it a desirable home and market crop.

The strawberry is most productive in a sandy-loam soil; but, if this type of soil is not available, it may be grown with good results in many of the heavier soils.

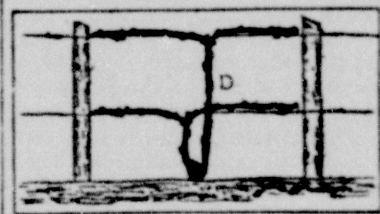
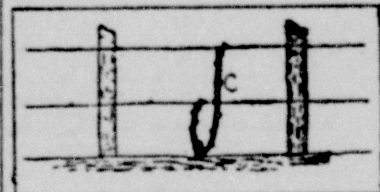
Freshly broken land is usually ideal for a strawberry bed, provided it has first been planted to some cultivated crop, such as potatoes.

Sod land is likely to be infested with white grubs, which are dangerous to tender plants.

GRAPE PRUNING ON TRELLIS

Essential That Vines Be Trained in Some Definite Form—Plan of South Carolina Station.

It is very important that vines be trained in some definite form and this should begin the first season after planting. The South Carolina experiment station recommends a trellis with the posts 16 feet apart, 4½ feet



high and having two strands of wire. No. 9 telephone wire will make a good trellis.

During the second year the canes are cut back and tied to the wire as shown in Fig. C. The pruning of the second and all later years is shown in Fig. D. Leave four of the most vigorous canes as the foundation for future growth.

Never permit the cane of one vine to overlap those on the next to it.

PROTECT YOUNG APPLE TREES

Clear All Grass and Trash Away From Trunks to Discourage Mice—Tramp Snow Down.

It is a good plan to throw a few shovelfuls of earth close around the trunks of young apple trees, at the same time clearing all grass and trash away. After the first fall of snow tramp well, close to each tree.

This treatment will discourage mice from nesting about the tree and gnawing the bark under protection of the snow.

PREPARE FOR BEST ORCHARD

Give Trees Careful Attention and Result Will Not Be Disappointing—Plant a Variety.

Resolve to have a good orchard. Set aside an acre or more of your best and to be devoted to orchard purposes only, and plant it to recommended varieties of fruit.

Give the trees the same careful attention as your best-paying field crop and the result will not be disappointing.

Arrest Flat River Rioters.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Flat River, July 16.—J. H. Overall, the confessed leader of the mob which injured scores and drove 1,500 foreigners out of town, marked the first step in the prosecution of the rioters by the military and civil authorities. nineteen men have been arrested and it was announced that there would be no further trouble.

ELEVATOR GIRLS NEXT.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

St. Louis, July 16.—Now comes the elevator girl. Officials of the Wright and Third National Bank buildings here have picked three girls to run elevators in order to relieve the men for selective draft and military service.

The girls will go through their numerous "ups and downs in life" toggled out in uniforms. They started work this morning. It is thought a number of other big down-town buildings here will soon adopt girl operators.

CLEANING CITY OF VICE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Atlanta, Ga., July 16.—Atlanta is cleaning up the city of vice before the arrival of the national army for training here.

City Dads in Fish Fry.

The annual fish fry of the city officials will be held Thursday. The place selected is the George Dyson farm on the Nodaway river south of Skidmore.

Delineator

THE Delineator for August is now in. You can get yours by calling at the pattern counter.

Kaines

We do not deliver Delineators.

The Store That Is Anxious To Please You.

Miss Jean Miller of Stanberry is visiting her cousin, Miss Grace Bu- holt and also Miss Edna Hawk of Misses Doris and Mildred Wallace went to Burlington Junction to visit over Sunday at the home of Dr. George Ravenwood. Trusty.

Read This Price List

Every article is underpriced
You're certain to find something that interests you.

Townsend's

Fourth and Main Streets

Hundreds of Watermelons (Tom Watson variety) from 35c to 50c each	Choice Dill Pickles, glass jar....15c
Pennant Flour (milled from old wheat) 48lb sack\$2.75	Imperial Codfish, 1lb wooden boxes for 25c
White Borax Naptha Soap, 10 bars for 42c	Sunbright Cleanser, 4 cans.....15c
Laundry Queen (white soap), 10 bars for 32c	Fresh Mackerel, small cans.....15c
Macaroni or Spaghetti, full size pkgs. 10c	Large tins 25c
Heinz Special Pickling Vinegar, gallon 40c	25c pails Axle Grease, 2 for 35c
Extra Large Santa Clara Prunes, per lb 15c	10c Tin Boxes Best Axle Grease 2 for 15c
2lb Bulk Seeded Raisins, for 25c	10c pkgs. Ivory Powdered Starch 7c
15c Cans Walker's Chili Con Carne 10c	Quart Mason Jars Queen Olives, 20c
Tomato Catsup, extra large bottle, Snider's, Libby's, or Beech Nut 22c	Tall Jars Sweet Pickle Relish, 2 for 15c
Smoked Sliced Dried Beef, glass jars 15c and 25c	2 Cans Best Talcum Powder.....15c
Potted Meats, doz cans 60c	¼lb Cans Tuna Fish (light and dark meat), ...8c
Pork and Beans, with tomato sauce, small, 2 cans for.....15c	¼lb Cans for 12c
Large, 2 cans for.....25c	1lb Cans for 16c
Mason's Fruit Jars (complete), pints, per doz 45c	Queen of Roses, Glycerine Soap 3 bars for 25c
Quarts, per doz 55c	Pure Cider Vinegar, gal Glass Jugs for 40c
Half gallons, per doz 75c	Heinz Pickling Vinegar, ½ gal. Glass Jugs for 25c
6 doz. White Rubber Rings for Mason Jars 25c	Gallon Jugs 55c
Gold Coin, Fancy Short Patent Flour (old wheat), 48lb sack \$3.20	Small Cans Pine Apple (cocktail style), 2 for 15c
Green Apples, peck 35c	Tango Brand Best Ice Tea, large pkg 25c; small pkg.....10c
Solid Home Grown Cabbage, 7lb 25c	Economy Fruit Jars, pints, per doz 70c
No. 1 Cans Yellow Peaches, fine quality, 2 cans for.....25c	Quarts, per doz 80c
No. 1 cans Best Muscat Grapes per can 10c	Half Gallons, per doz\$1.00
15c for Large Can Broken Slices Good Pineapple.	Walter Baker's Ground Chocolate ½lb cans 15c
Rumford Baking Powder, 15c half pound cans 12c	Hershey's Cocoa, ½lb cans 18c
Rumford Baking Powder, 25c pound cans 22c	No. 2 Cans Red Beans, only 10c
1lb Tall Cans Pink Salmon.....15c	Hams—Finest Flavor and Cure, 12 to 20lb sizes, per lb 24c
Dozen cans\$1.70	Jello, all flavors, pkg.....10c
Ice Cream Salt, 10lb Sacks 10c	Kellogg's Sterilized Cooked Bran Large pkg. 25c
Goblin Toilet Soap, per cake.....5c	Best Ceylon, Gunpowder or Japan Teas, 65c quality, per lb 45c
Quart Cans Hominy.....10c	Country Rendered Pure Lard, 2lb for 55c
2 Cans Sugar Corn 25c	Lard Compound, White Ribbon Brand, 2lb for 45c
Quart Cans Tomatoes 2 cans for. 35c	30c Pound Cans Oriental Coffee, Steel Cut, reduced to 25c
3 cans for 50c	Tiger Brand Jams, ½lb Glasses, 10c
	Prices Quoted are for Tuesday and Wednesday.

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Fourth and Main Streets

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Has made our stock of Normal Jewelry complete. An early call will assure you a large assortment to choose from.

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Calendar

TUESDAY—The Mary Lawrence circle will hold a picnic Tuesday evening at Hastings Lake.

WEDNESDAY—The Wednesday Bridge club will meet at the home of Miss Kitty Grooms Wednesday afternoon.

THURSDAY—The Epworth Bible class of the First Methodist church will meet at 8 o'clock Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. C. Corwin.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon in the Epworth League room.

FRIDAY—All who are interested in making comfort bags for the soldiers are requested to meet at the Christian church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

SATURDAY—The King's Herald band will meet at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon with Misses Mary Ruth and Gertrude Curfman.

Guests At Harrington's.
Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Wiles and little daughter, Juanita, were dinner guests yesterday of Prof. and Mrs. E. L. Harrington.

For Gertrude Arnett.
Mrs. A. D. Arnett entertained with a party Saturday afternoon at her home on North Buchanan street, in honor of her little daughter, Gertrude. The afternoon was spent in playing games and light refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were: Esther Roseberry, Eva Margaret Frank, Frances Remus, Bl-

ly Wright and Gertrude Arnett.

Guests at Bennett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bennett had for dinner guests yesterday Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fritchman and daughter, Mary Marguerite, of Rosendale.

Guests at Hull Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hull entertained at dinner yesterday at their beautiful country home north of Maryville. Covers were laid for: Mrs. Flora Quinn and daughter, Miss Ora, John Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Elizabeth Lee and Edgar Hull and the host and hostess.

Miss Marsh, Hostess.

Miss Edith Marsh, assisted by Miss Mabel Felix, entertained at dinner yesterday at the home of Mrs. P. L. Murrin, of South Buchanan street. The following guests were present: Miss Agatha Hengeler, Miss Jess Fisher and Miss Clara Stien. Miss Marsh and Miss Felix are summer students at the State Normal school.

For Colle's Guests.

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church will entertain Thursday evening with a lawn supper and out-door entertainment, complimentary to Mrs. Carlton C. Shelby of Jonestown, Miss., and Clifford Colle of Gary, Ind., who are guests of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Colle. The affair will be given at the home of Dean and Mrs. G. H. Colbert.

Ly's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ly were host and hostess at a 12 o'clock dinner given yesterday at their home 1044 miles southwest of Maryville. Their guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Ly of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ly and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ly and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Ly and daughter, Miss Bessie of

Graham. Hutchison Lyle of Colorado City, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Alderman of Maryville.

Dinner Party Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brody of Wilcox were host and hostess to a dinner party at their home Sunday. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Humphrey and son, Vincent Lee, of Hill Farm, near Burlington Junction, Mrs. L. A. Voshell and Walter Williams of Dawsonville, Mr. Earl Bobbit, Mr. S. J. Friend and son, James, and Frank Brody of Wilcox. A musical program of several numbers was given in the afternoon on the piano, dulcimer, violin and guitar.

Hall's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall were host and hostess at a dinner given yesterday at their home, west of Maryville. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Charley Barrow and daughters, Olive, LeVeta, and Genevieve, Mr. and Mrs. Therman Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott and son, Paul Foster, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte and daughter, Leora, Frank Piece, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall and daughters, Wilma and Vivian.

Entertain Hopkins Guest.

A. R. Middleton and daughter, Mrs. Pearl McKinney and son Frank, entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night for: Isaac Middleton and sons, Clyde and Claude, and daughter, Miss Ruby Middleton and Mrs. McMillen and children, Ruby Irene, Everett H., and Margaret Haller of Hopkins. Claude Middleton, who has joined the United States army, will leave Tuesday for Jefferson Barracks.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Young and daughter, Ruth, entertained at dinner yesterday at their home on East Third street. Their guests were: Mrs. S. E. McKee and family of Ravenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Appleby and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. William Trullinger and daughter, Mary Arvelia.

Dinner at Country Home.

A 12 o'clock dinner was given yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Baker, south of Maryville. Following were the guests present: Mrs. Henry Myers and her guests, Pete Sturm and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Weyker of Port Washington, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Ed Myers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Sturm, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flynn of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Sturm of Conception and Grand-nia Byrnes were afternoon guests at the Baker home.

Sunday School Class Picnic.

Misses Dora and Minnie Coulter of Arkoe entertained with a picnic in honor of the members of their Sunday school classes on Saturday at Bridgewater. Games were played and a dainty picnic lunch was served. Those present were: Mary Yelsley, Hester, Helen and Thelma Shipp, Opal Thompson, Clesta and Lydia Allen, Mattie Wyatt, Florence Morrow, Marjorie and Hazel Carr, Ellen Jane Swinford, Eliza Duke, Ruth Corrough, Paul and Harry Yelsley, Lawrence and Benny Thompson, Ned Swinford and Glen Lawrence.

Mrs. Emmett Scott Entertains.

Mrs. Emmett Scott entertained the Young Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church, Saturday afternoon at her pretty country home, Maple Park, west of Maryville. A short program was given. Those taking part on the program were: Mrs. L. L. Maier, Mrs. Arthur Brewer and Miss Ethel Embree. Mrs. C. A. Bone and the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox sang two solos. About thirty-five members and guests were present. The guests were: Miss Hazel Weage, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Leeson, Mrs. McGill, who is the guest of Mrs. W. P. Burris, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. E. M. Claypool, Mrs. J. C. Lee, Mrs. C. A. Bone, Mrs. Roy Pettit, Mrs. Frank Hall, and two daughters, Wilma and Vivian, Mrs. Charley Wells and little daughter, Margaret Marie, Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte, and daughter, Leora, Mrs. Clara Buck, Mrs. Brint Embree, and Anna Houston and Mrs. W. H. Houston of Burlington Junction, who are guests of Mrs. Emmett Scott.

Mrs. Charles Porter Entertains.

Mrs. Charles Porter entertained the Herron Homemaking circle at her home Wednesday afternoon, July 11. The afternoon was spent in quilting and music and with a guessing contest on a shirt waist. Miss Mary Taylor won the first prize and Mrs. Albert Appleby the second prize. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Miss Marybelle Fisher and Miss Marion Roberts. Those present were: Mrs. V. A. Guthrie, Mrs. Sam Fisher, Mrs. R. Neidel, Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Mrs. Lou Rogers, Mrs. Nellie Manley, Mrs. I. E. Tehow, Mrs. A. E. Cockayne, Mrs. Albert Appleby, Miss Esther Neidel, Miss Mary Taylor, Miss Vida Wilson, Miss Grace Fisher, Miss Nellie Fisher. The visitors present

were: Mrs. Claude Shell and daughter Ella Marjory, Mrs. Elihu Shell and daughter, Rebecca, Mrs. John Griffey, Mrs. John Drago, Mrs. John Shipp, Mrs. Frank Gray, Mrs. Otis Shipp and two children, Mrs. J. Onstott, Mrs. Orville Willhoyte and daughter, Leora, Miss Lida Onstott, Miss Marion Roberts, Miss Dorothy Peffer from Lincoln, Neb., a guest of Miss Vida Wilson. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. V. A. Guthrie, July 25. Each member is requested to bring with them 25 cents which will be given to the Nicholas family of Wilcox.

Open Meeting for

Pickering Methodists.

The Missionary society of the Methodist church at Pickering will hold an open meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joe Everhart. A program will be given and refreshments will be served. Mrs. C. S. Dayhoff will have charge of the program. A silver offering will be taken.

Mrs. Lee Strong, Hostess.

Mrs. Lee Strong planned and successfully carried out a surprise in honor of her husband's twenty-third birthday anniversary yesterday. The dining room was prettily decorated with red, white and blue and the table was centered with a beautiful birthday cake lighted with small tapers. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Al Drago, Mr. and Mrs. George Eisenman, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Strong, of Barnard, Mrs. Myrtle Knox, Mrs. Grace Fagan, Misses Bessie Knox, Bertha Fanning, Grace Helen and Gladys Drago, Zora, Velma and Katherine Eisenman, Minnie Knox and Cleo Strong of St. Joseph; Fred, Oscar and Harold Knox, Earl Eisenman and the host and hostess.

MRS. McWHORTER DIES

Cancer of the Stomach Fatal to Ravenwood Woman—Funeral Service Tomorrow.

Mrs. Thomas McWhorter died at 6:35 this morning at her home near Ravenwood following a long illness of cancer of the stomach.

Mrs. McWhorter would have been 79 years old had she lived until August 6. She is survived by her husband, five daughters and two sons. Three of her daughters live near Ravenwood, one in Washington and one in Oklahoma. One son lives near Stanberry and the other in Montana.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Christian church in Ravenwood, conducted by the Rev. C. R. Green. Burial will be in Oak Lawn cemetery near Ravenwood.

FORM COMMUNITY COAL ASS'N.

Mayor Robey Makes Arrangements to Sell Product at Cost.

A community coal association for the purpose of selling coal at cost has been formed here and already three cars of coal have been received and disposed of. The coal is purchased from the Home Riverside Coal Mines company of Leavenworth, Kan. Other cars are to be bought. The coal sells for about \$5.20 a ton.

Mayor A. S. Robey recently made a trip to the mines at Leavenworth and made arrangements for the coal.

KIPHART BOUND OVER.

Man Charged With Arson Has as Yet Been Unable to Give \$2,000 Bond.

William Kiphart charged with setting fire to the home of John S. Burch near Pickering last week, was arraigned before Justice of Peace Johnson late Saturday afternoon. He was bound over to circuit court and his bond was fixed at \$2,000. The charge is arson in the first degree. He was unable to give bail yet.

Henry Anderson to Rochester.

W. H. Anderson south of Maryville, and his son, Dr. Harry Anderson of Corvallis, Ore., who has been visiting in Maryville, left this morning for Mayo Brothers hospital, at Rochester, Minn., where Mr. Anderson will undergo an examination. Dr. Anderson will then return to his home in Oregon.

To Work at Barnard.

A. D. Arnett of the Arnett Decorating company, went to Barnard this morning with a force of men to decorate the new opera house which was recently built.

Attend Photographers' Convention.

F. W. Crow went to Kansas City yesterday to attend the Tri-State convention of photographers. Mr. Crow will return the latter part of the week.

Miss Ada Stanton, who is attending the Normal, visited over Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Fillmore.

Anselm Schumacher left Sunday for a fishing trip at Reserve, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hornbuckle of Clearmont are in Maryville on business today.

DR. H. I. JONES AT CHAUTAUQUA

Lecture and Demonstration of Scientific Truths

SCIENCE MADE POPULAR

Dr. Jones Presents Scientific Data in a Way That Is at Once Instructive and Intensely Interesting

Few people realize to what extent national safety depends upon the work of the scientist. Few stop to think to what extent they are indebted to the scientist for the comforts and necessities of life. Dr. Hilton I. Jones, a university professor, has been secured for Chautauqua to give a lecture and demonstration of practical science.

SCIENCE MADE POPULAR

One's first impression of the subject of "Vibrations" is that it is a dry, prosaic presentation of scientific data. Dr. Jones has an ambition to popularize scientific truths and increase the appreciation of their importance in the practical affairs of everyday life. He has found the way to do. Interesting facts, most of them new to the average audience, are presented in terms of common understanding and people are fascinated as they find their fund of scientific knowledge increased without any study on their part. Apparatus is carried by Dr. Jones with which he conducts experiments during the course of his lecture.

A PRACTICAL SCIENTIST

Few really great scientists are able to present their scientific knowledge in a manner that can even be understood, to say nothing of made interesting by the average audience. Dr. Jones has the ability to present scientific truths to the public in a way that a popular audience can both understand and appreciate.

HONORED AT HOME

Dr. Jones was the founder and for three years president of the South Dakota Academy of Science, founder of the Farmers' Club Movement and is president of the Rural Life Betterment Association. He is recognized as one of South Dakota's leading public men.

HONORED BY PRESIDENT

Dr. Jones was one of the men appointed by the president on the National Council for Defense. He is a member of the Royal Chemical Society of London, of the American Chemical Society, and he has been engaged for years in research work for large firms, especially for the Arbuckle Mining Exchange. He is also a member of the Naval Consulting Board.

Dr. Jones has submitted plans for a device to protect ships against submarines. It is now being tried at one of the naval stations.

McCOWAN PRAISES UNSUNG HEROES

Heroines of the Home Honored in Inspiring Lecture

MANY TALENTED MAN

Author, Banker and Lecturer Tells About "Kings and Queens—Crowned and Uncrowned" at Chautauqua

Hervey Smith McCowan, who will deliver his lecture on "Kings and Queens—Crowned and Uncrowned," the last afternoon of Chautauqua, is a man of various talents and wide experience. He has succeeded as a lecturer, business man and author.

Some years ago Mr. McCowan was considered to be one of the foremost popular lecturers on the platform and was in great demand. Overwork caused a nervous breakdown and the lecturer left the rostrum for the cattle camps of the Southwest in the hopes of regaining his health.

HE KNOWS MEN

During his numerous days and later in his professional work he was associated with a so-called cultured class of people. Out in the great open places of the Southwest he met a different class of men. The dress suit and top hat were lacking and in their places were the corduroys, woolen shirts and slouch hats of the cattle men. He found, however, that the woolen shirts covered hearts that were as true as any that beat beneath the "white front" of the cultured man of the city.

He found that not all our heroes and heroines are recorded in the written history of the race. He found that the world is full of kings and queens and princes whose only crowns are the crowns of manhood and womanhood.

GLORIFIES HOME

Mr. McCowan glorifies the American home and lauds the unsung heroines of the kitchen and the hero fathers who toil with their hands in order that their children may have opportunities which were denied to them.

BOYS' TRAILS

Out among the big hearted men of the plains, where the air is pure and the food wholesome, Mr. McCowan regained his health and is today the personification of rugged strength and vigor. Out among the cattle trails at night Mr. McCowan had plenty of time for reflection and he thought back over the days of his boyhood and recalled the stumbling blocks which were in his path and which caused the ruin of many of his boyhood friends. This led him to write the story that has made him famous, "The Trail a Boy Travels." This story has been called the boys' Pilgrim's Progress. Mr. McCowan lectured four times last year in both Des Moines and Marshalltown, using the same address each time.

2100 APPLY FOR OFFICERS

Of These 538 Men Will Be Chosen for Next Camp at Fort Riley, Which Opens August 27.

Special to The Democrat-Forum, St. Louis, July 16.—All applications for the second officers' training camp at Fort Riley, Kan., must be in by midnight tonight. The applications must be in the hands of Captain Barry at Jefferson Barracks here by that time to stand any chance of acceptance. Already about 2,100 applications have been received and from these Missouri's quota of 538 men will be selected.

The camp will open August 27. The first notifications to men to go to the barracks for physical and mental tests will be sent out in a few days.

ADVISES USE OF MILK

Dr. M. P. Ravenel Says Swat H. C. of L. With This Product—A Perfect Food.

Special to The Democrat-Forum, Columbia, Mo., July 16.—Use milk instead of eggs or meat, is the advice of Dr. M. P. Ravenel of the Department of Preventive Medicine of the University of Missouri to would-be swatters of Ole Hi Costa Living.

One quart of milk contains 640 food units, he says. It takes eight eggs to supply the same amount of food units. With milk at 11 cents a quart and eggs at 35c a dozen, this makes eggs about twice as expensive as milk.

Milk is much cheaper than meat, he says, as only one-half the meat we buy we can use due to bones, skin, fat, etc.

HARRISON COUNTY FAIR.

The Democrat-Forum is in receipt of the premium list and catalog of the Harrison County Fair which will be held at Bethany September 11-15. The catalog has 132 pages and besides a long list of stock and domestic prizes it has many other attractions, among them being over \$5,000 in prizes for races, 35 productions of Theatrical Duffield's fireworks in which is included the bombardment of the Dardanelles, a company with six acts of racing and educated animals, and Ruth Law, aviatrix, will give exhibition flights the last three days.

Will Whitney and daughter, Margaret Elizabeth, went to St. Joseph with Mr. Whitney's sister, Mrs. Earl Gruber, yesterday.

ORGANIZE HOME GUARD

Proposed Plan of Owners of Large Plants to Organize Employees Will Not Be Tolerated.

Special to The Democrat-Forum, Jefferson City, July 16.—Governor Gardner today was preparing to issue a proclamation on organization of Home Guard companies.

"There are three methods," said Governor Gardner. "Sheriffs can organize posses constituting a home guard, police boards in large cities can do the same thing or Home Guard organizations can be effected under the military laws."

The governor said the proposed plan of owners of large plants to organize their employees and arm them will not be tolerated. The governor will be commander-in-chief of the Home Guard, just as he is of the militia. The government will equip the Home Guard and only reliable men will be commissioned as officers.

TERRIBLY SICK WOMAN

Surgical Operation Thought Necessary, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her.

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—Mrs. BENJAMIN F. BLAKE, R.F.D. No. 5, Box 22, Madison, Wis. There must be more than a hundred thousand women in this country who, like Mrs. Blake, have proven what wonders Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound can do for weak and ailing women. Try it and see for yourself. All women are invited to write for free and helpful advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.



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What Do You Know About Your Blood Supply?

Your ignorance may startle you.

Few people know of the many functions of the blood supply, and just how important it is that it be kept absolutely free from all impurities. The health of the entire body depends upon the condition of the blood. You are invited to write and obtain a booklet that gives you some invaluable information on this im-

portant subject. It tells how to keep the blood strong and free from all many impurities to which it is constantly subject.

It gives the history of S. S. S., the world's most successful blood remedy, which has been sold for more than fifty years by druggists everywhere. This book will be sent free to all who write to Swift Specific Co., Dept. A Atlanta, Ga.

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RATES IN THIS COLUMN.

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days. Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions, 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words: send money with the order. Ads should be in by 12 o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Han. 46.

WANTED—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, close to Normal. Address Mrs. E. Beggs, 602 S. Florence Ave., Kirksville, Mo. 13-18*

WANTED—Second-hand bicycle in good repair. Call Hanamo 391 between 12 and 1 o'clock. 16-18*

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife after July 13, 1917. Virgil B. Hyde. 16-18

HAVE your old mattresses made over like new. Feather beds renovated and made into mattresses, also all kinds of upholstering done. Sanitary Mattress Co., 222 South Buchanan. Hanamo 440. Farmers 251. 16-18*

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—3 or 4 second hand cars, Ford in good condition. S. C. Clark, 209 North Market. 13-16*

FOR SALE—New 5-passenger Ford; 2 second-hand Fords; second-hand Buick, 5-passenger; second-hand Dodge, 5-passenger. Walter N. Wray at Maryville Laundry. 13-16

FOR SALE—Cow and calf. Cow gives 6 gallons of milk a day. A. S. Robey. 13-16*

FOR SALE—Six cylinder Chalmers truck. Call at Price & McNeals for demonstration. 16-18

FOR SALE—A few Woodstock typewriters at reduced prices. Call Han.

3625 for a free demonstration. E. R. Adams. 16-21*

FOR SALE—Privately, at 521 South Buchanan street, \$100 dining room set, cheap; 3 nice rockers, davenport, library table, 2 pretty dressers, power washer, fireless cooker, beds and many other nice and useful articles. Call at 521 South Buchanan St. this week. 16-18*

LOST

LOST—Ford automobile casing, northwest of Maryville. Call Remus' store. 13-16*

LOST—Pocketbook containing \$5 bill at Wabash depot. Leave at Democrat-Forum office. 16-18

LOST—Lady's slipper between Vine and Cooper streets and hospital. Return to this office. 16-18*

Major General Sibert Noted Army Engineer

Among the major generals of the regular army recently advanced to that rank by President Wilson is William L. Sibert, recently brigadier general in command of the Pacific coast artillery district, with headquarters at Fort Wiley, San Francisco.

Press dispatches from France, presumably sent forward with the approval of General Pershing's staff, show that Major General Sibert is already in France and has been chosen to command the first force sent abroad under General Pershing as commander in chief of the expedition.

The new major general is a native of Alabama and will be fifty-seven years old next October. He was graduated



MAJOR GENERAL WILLIAM L. SIBERT.

from West Point in 1884 and assigned to the engineering corps. Since then he has been engaged principally in engineering work and is noted as the builder of the famous Gatun locks and dam on the Panama canal. During the Spanish-American war he took a battalion of engineers to the Philippines and, among other work, rebuilt the Dagupan railway. In 1914 he was selected by President Wilson as chairman of the board of engineers to examine the details of the American Red Cross project for the prevention of floods in eastern China.

Prevent Waste of Sugar And Failure of Jellies

Much waste of sugar and spoilage of jellies can be avoided by using a simple alcohol test recommended by the bureau of chemistry, United States department of agriculture. To determine how much sugar should be used with each kind of juice put a spoonful of juice in a glass and add to it one spoonful of 95 per cent grain alcohol, mixed by shaking the glass gently. Pour slowly from the glass, noting how the pectin—the substance in fruits which makes them jelly—is precipitated. If the pectin is precipitated as one lump a cup of sugar may be used for each cup of juice. If in several lumps the proportion of sugar must be reduced to approximately three-fourths of the amount of the juice. If the pectin is not in lumps, but is merely precipitated, the sugar should be one-half or less of the amount of the juice. If the juice shows no precipitation under this test it is unsuitable for jelly making and must be combined with apples or other juices rich in pectin.

The housewife will do well before making the test to taste the juice, as fruits not as acid as good tart apples probably will not make good jelly unless mixed with other fruits which are acid.

Mother's Doll Story

The Sitting Hen

"Mother, where is my pet hen?" called Benny one morning.

"Did you look in her nest, my dear?" asked his mother.

Then Benny ran to the kitchen and looked in the pasteboard box that the cook had given him for his rag doll hen.

Petty was her name. She had flannel wings and tail sewed on to a gray felt body, and a bit of red flannel made her a charming comb.

Betty had scratched around the house to find some hay for a real nest, but there was no hay in the house. So she was glad to have a pasteboard box to lay eggs in.

And what do you think Benny found under her when he ran into the kitchen?

Why, three big candy eggs—molasses candy, you know. And then the cook gave him two gingersnaps, and, with Betty under his arm, he toddled off to eat an egg and a gingersnap out in the back yard under the big apple tree.

Conundrums.

What is the color of a grass plat covered with green? Invisible green.

Why did Adam bite the apple Eve gave him? Because he had no knife.

What word by changing a letter becomes its opposite? United—untied.

Why does a dressmaker never lose her books? Because she has an eye to each of them.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.
Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Kansas City, July 16.—WHEAT—July, \$2.05; Sept., \$1.90.
CORN—July, \$1.02½; Sept., \$1.57; Dec., \$1.09½.

Kansas City Live Stock.
Kansas City, July 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 32,000; steers, \$9.13@9.55; cows, \$5.12@5.75.
HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; top, \$15.80; bulk, \$14.75@15.70.
SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000; market, 10c lower.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, July 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 21,000; market, 15c lower.
HOGS—Receipts, 39,000; market, slow; top, \$15.80.
SHEEP—Receipts, 20,000; market, 20c to 35c lower.

St. Joseph Live Stock.
St. Joseph, July 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,200; market, slow and lower.
HOGS—Receipts, 12,000; market, 5c lower; top, \$15.75.
SHEEP—Receipts, none.

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.
Butter fat, per lb. 36c
Eggs, per doz. 26c
Hens, per lb. 15c
Hides, per lb. 16c
Ducks, per lb. 13c
Geese, per lb. 8c
Roosters, per lb. 10c

Former Librarian Visits Parents.
J. A. McMillen, former librarian of the Maryville Public Library, is spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. McMillen of Pickering, Mo. McMillen is now chief librarian at the University of Rochester, in New York.

Guest at Pixler's.
Mrs. J. F. Pixler and little daughter, Marian of Omaha, Neb., were guests yesterday of Mr. Pixler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pixler. Little Miss Marian will remain in Maryville for several weeks' visit.

Westbrooks Visiting Relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Westbrook of Marshall, Mo., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Westbrook's brother, Raymond Jones, near Arkoe. Before returning to their home they will visit friends and relatives in Maryville.

Mrs. William Lawler and son of Havelock, Neb., arrived in Maryville last night and are guests of Mrs. C. A. Lawler. Mrs. Lawler and little son will visit other relatives while in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hoffhine of St. Joseph motored to Maryville yesterday and were guests of Mrs. Hoffhine's sister, Miss Mae French.

Mrs. F. V. Howendobler, who has been visiting relatives in Maryville, left Saturday evening for her home in Kansas City.

Miss Beulah Bagby began work this morning at the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods store. Miss Bagby will have charge of the pattern department and Mrs. Lawler will take charge of the baby department.

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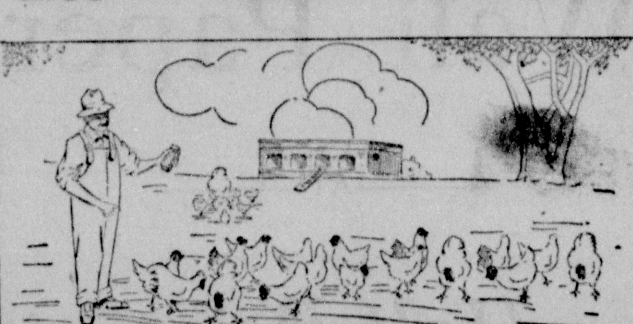
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TO AID AMERICANS FIRST

U. S. Red Cross Commission Will Help Home Soldiers Before Others, Say Leaders.

Washington, July 16.—Henry P. Davison, chairman of the Red Cross war council authorizes the following statement:

"Morning newspapers yesterday published a report that the American Red Cross is to use in Italy 10 million dollars out of the 100 million dollars and more recently subscribed. The report is without foundation, and it is important that the policy of the Red Cross in handling these funds be clearly understood.

"The Red Cross has announced 1 million dollars to provide immediate necessities in France, to be spent under the direction of the American Red Cross commission in France, headed by Maj. Grayson M. P. Murphy, a member of the war council. The Red Cross has also appropriated \$200,000 to purchase medical supplies and instruments, whereby the Red Cross commission to Russia may take care of more urgent needs upon arrival in that country.

Urgent Needs Increase Obligation.
"The sum of \$200,000 has been appropriated to purchase materials to supply most urgent needs in Rumania. The sum of \$100,000 has been appropriated for use in Armenia, and \$6,500 has been appropriated to purchase drugs to be sent to the Russian Red Cross.

"Aside from the foregoing, no appropriations have been made by the war council for work in foreign countries. The need in all our allied countries is beyond computation, and use can be found for all funds which can possibly be obtained either now or in the future. That very fact imposes upon the Red Cross an extraordinary obligation, which it fully recognizes, to use the funds committed to it; only after assuring itself not only that any proposed expenditures will do good, but that it will accomplish the greatest good relative to other needs which are crying to be supplied.

First Consideration for Americans.

The Red Cross has now at work in France a commission of experts, and it has more recently sent to Russia a similar commission. The expenses of these commissions are borne privately and are not a charge on Red Cross funds. It is the purpose of the Red Cross to send similar commissions to Italy and Rumania, and also to appoint a commissioner to Great Britain.

"It is also the policy of the war council to withhold any very large expenditures abroad until it is made certain that every necessary provision has been made to take care of our own soldiers and sailors."

Visited in Kansas City.

Miss Clara Hurd and her sister, Miss Ruby Hurd, of St. Joseph spent Saturday in Kansas City. Miss Ruby Hurd, who has been visiting her sister in Maryville has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flynn of Kansas City, who have been visiting relatives in Maryville, went to Clyde for a few days' visit with relatives.

John Murrin, who has been in St. Louis on business returned Friday to his home in Maryville.

AUSTRIA TIRES OF ITS ALLY.

Hate of World Directed Only Against Germany, Czech Leader Said. Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Zurich, July 16.—The Austrian Reichsrat was thrown into an uproar on Saturday when the former Czech minister, Herr Praschek, declared the hate of the entire world was not directed against Austria, but against Germany, and that Austria should detach herself from her ally, says a Vienna dispatch.

The speaker declared that Czech deputies had been imprisoned for attempting to bring about an alliance of Austria with Russia and France and added that if they were to be stigmatized as traitors then all Czechs who believed similarly should be so stigmatized.

Late Ravenwood Subscriptions.

The latest donation to the Red Cross fund from Ravenwood is \$37.50, given by the Willing Workers of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school and by other donors. The list follows:

\$8—Willing Workers class of the M. E. Sunday school.
\$5—C. C. Loomis, W. J. Wygal.
\$2.50—J. A. Dack, John Siagle.
\$2—Geo. Lewis, A. H. Stoneburner, R. F. Wells, Geo. O. Row.
\$1—J. V. Joy, Nina Deshazer, C. A. Hanks, Glen Goodson, W. F. DeLong, Roy Hunterston.
50c—Effie Henry.

Here From Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin and their aunt, Mrs. Feris, of Des Moines, Ia., visited in Maryville yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. M. Rittenour. Mr. Martin is president of the Peoples' Bank of Des Moines. He was formerly assistant cashier of the Northwestern Bank of Burlington Junction.

Eugene Cummins Enlists.

Eugene Cummins, son of Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Cummins has been accepted at the local recruiting station in the medical department of the United States army. He will leave this evening with Claude Middleton of Maryville, who has been accepted for the infantry.

Occupies Railroad Center.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Rome, July 16.—Korniloff's army occupied an important railway center of Dolina. The Teutons are fleeing through the Carpathian mountains, according to a Petrograd dispatch.

St. Joseph Guest Here.

Mrs. A. D. Cole of St. Joseph was a week-end guest of her daughter, Miss Katherine Cole, who is attending the State Normal school.

The Rev. W. H. Rust of Burlington Junction was a business visitor in Maryville today.

W. S. Frayne of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting friends in Maryville.

C. Q. Smith left this morning for Kansas City, where he will spend a week visiting relatives.

Mrs. M. A. Martin has gone to St. Louis to visit her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Lippman.

Miss Hazel Lake, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Alice Lake, left last night for her home in Omaha.

Around the House

Much food is ruined by being stored where flies or other insects or rats and mice can get at it. Much cereal food is ruined because it is not protected against weevils or other insects.

Skim milk is regarded by many persons as unfit for human use. As a matter of fact, it contains practically all of the constituents of whole milk except the fat taken off in the cream.

Tiled floors should be wiped over with skim milk once a week after they have been washed. It is a good plan to rub them over with linseed oil about once in two months and then to polish them with a soft cloth.

Whenever a hat, dress or any other article of clothing is discarded rip off the trimmings, cleanse them if they need it and put away in a box for future use.

Wash milk bottles as soon as empty and do not use such containers for any other purpose. Use pure water and do not wipe with a dish towel. Scalding and air drying are better.

Stale rolls and biscuits may be freshened by immersing them quickly in boiling water and putting them into a hot oven to dry out. They may be served hot and will taste as fresh as when first baked.

Suggestions For Using Butter Economically

Use butter economically. Select fat that is cheapest for a given use. Extend the country's resources by using fats from all available sources.

In many homes butter is allowed to become soft, in which state more is used than necessary. Butter added to vegetables during cooking means waste, as butter loses its seasoning quality by cooking. If economy is to be practiced add the butter just before removing the dish from the stove. In the preparation of many dishes butter can be supplanted in whole or in part by cheaper fats with little if any change in the flavor of the finished product. Even for table use some of the butter substitutes can be used where the dietary is not limited in variety of foods.

In salad dressings olive oil can be replaced by cottonseed oil, corn and peanut oil preparations. Since these are produced in this country they are cheaper than olive oil, which is largely produced abroad.

The trimmings from meat, usually kept at the market, unless the housekeeper especially requests them, may be used in suet or steamed puddings or rendered and used for deep fat frying.

Charged With Wounding Steer.

Brint R. Embree was arrested today on complaint of Charles Wells who charged Embree with maliciously wounding his steer. It is claimed this steer got into Embree's corn field and Embree shot at it, wounding it.

Mr. Embree waived preliminary hearing and was bound over to the circuit court. His bond was fixed at \$500 which was given.

Visited At Gaynor.

C. M. Miller of Bolckow, Mrs. Cenora Overman and daughter, Miss Myrtle and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Osborn motored over Sunday and were guests at the home of Mrs. Overman's brother, J. M. Holton and family, east of Gaynor.

Visiting Her Sister.

Miss Lois Johnson of Fayette, arrived in Maryville Friday and is spending several days at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Gray.

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NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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MUST KNOW NUMBER

THE NAMES WILL PROBABLY BE DRAWN BY SATURDAY.

COMPLETE LIST GIVEN

Charges That Draft Is "Dice Loaded" and Favors South Brought in Senate This Afternoon.

The Democrat-Forum has been printing the serial numbers of the young men of this county who registered June 5 under the recent draft act. Every man should know the number by which he will be called. The number on your registration certificate is not the number by which you will be called.

A complete list of those who registered and their serial numbers as made up by the local exemption board is posted at the office of Sheriff Dowden in the court house. A list is also at the Democrat-Forum office.

Indications are that the numbers will be drawn Saturday according to a dispatch from Washington today.

In today's list printed below are the young men whose post office addresses are Burlington Junction, Parnell, Ravenwood, Bedison and Stanberry.

Burlington Junction.
22 Roy Lee Whitely, 45 Ira Leroy Whitington, 57 Roy Frank Truher, 68 William Hanson Williams, 77 Bert Leslie Fanning, 91 Jesse Glen Whittington.

115 Charley Erving Timmons, 136 James J. Tobin, 159 Charles Ernest Thacker, 182 Robert Emmett Tobin, 183 Ora Edward Walter.

202 Isaac Sheddick Timmons, 206 Leslie Walter, 214 Charles Harold Ewing, 228 Albie B. Truher, 229 Walter Mammal Williams, 235 James Everett Goddard, 247 Paul E. Pymble, 252 Robert Marston Watts, 253 Harry Edna Bridgman, 270 Arthur Porter, 275 Perry Harold White, 298 Loren Earl Wallace.

307 Len Vyn Lynn, 320 Jesse Tanner, 324 Roy Frank Wiseman, 343 Dave Martin, 344 Horace Spenser Weaver, 349 O. A. Carmichael, 369 Dick G. Brooks, 371 Jeanne Emmett Cummings, 389 Walter Sipe, 392 Earl Legand Bates, 394 John Herman Coffey.

440 Charlie David Wagner, 417 J. Dale Carter, 434 Harry Truher Wilson, 436 Cora Black, 438 Robert Emerson Caudill, 441 George Henry Cobb, 458 Roy E. Wedge, 483 Christopher C. Bears, 485 Forrest Chester Corbin, 492 Charles Elmo Hood, 507 Frank Sylvester Culver, 540 Charles D. Lane, 554 Charles Hubert Colwell, 568 James Vernon Reed, 577 Harry Robert Emerson Caudill, 581 Charles Wesley Correll, 582 Freddie Leslie Culver, 646 Hubert Stanley Corken, 664 Fred Webster, 669 Cyrus Bellet Cole, 682 Harry Edward Caudill, 687 Franklin Ford, 692 William Patrick Cummins, 705 Harry Melvin Pivert, 710 Charles A. Williams, 715 Charlie Frank Carter, 720 Harry Edward Caudill, 721 Milton Chamberlain, 751 William McKinley Puest, 755 William Franklin Short, 761 Wilson Vernon Claypool, 774 Philip Ernest Smith, 781 Avery Willard Ashby, 779 John Dillon Smith.

804 Delta Harvey Arnold, 809 Ernest Franklin Dale, 822 George A. Salles, 827 Loren Abbott, 832 J. C. Davis, Jr., 845 Edwin Earl Shaddock, 850 John Wesley Ashbrook, 851 Luke Edward Bowman, 868 William Francis Shelden, 891 Earl D. Shell.

912 Charles Edward Puest, 914 Thomas Ivan Stafford, 937 Fred Charles Shell, 960 Loren Edwin Smith, 989 Elijah Dale Bailey, 1001 Walter Mendall, 1008 John Frank McMahon, 1019 Charles Oren Foley, 1024 Boies Campbell Malone, 1026 Strand Lee McCoy, 1047 Marvin Ray Miller, 1049 Henry Lee McCain, 1070 Everett Harvey Morrison, 1080 Orr Dwight Adkins.

1116 Dale Allen Moore, 1139 Charles Leslie Maline, 1162 Albert Monk, 1183 Alvin Blair Kingley, 1185 James E. Hawk, 1209 John R. Yates, 1265 John Princess Beavins, 1288 Kyle C. Bearce.

1311 Clifford Earl Brown, 1334 Jack E. Barker, 1344 Ivan C. Kelley, 1357 Albert Byron Brown, 1367 Walter Carl Kingley, 1378 Lee Gerald Yagle, 1380 Harry Royer, 1388 Herman Kenell Hankins.

1401 Hamilton Clyde Yates, 1403 Ora Bachman, 1411 Fred Carl Hiles, 1419 Fred Melville Reed, 1424 Andrew Basil Yates, 1434 Harley D. Hamm, 1442 Elma Franklin Hiles, 1449 Glenn Byron Hooper, 1455 Allen J. Henry, 1459 Don Kingley, 1465 Roy Alexander Rains, 1472 Ralph Raymond Banner, 1477 Fred Lewis Fleming, 1480 Earl William Hollis, 1495 John Beal.

1500 Chester Allan Ferguson, 1503 Lester Reid Hackett, 1518 Ernest Henry Browning, 1522 Willie Lee Diller, 1535 Elliott E. Foley, 1536 Albert Clarence Hages, 1541 Clarence Edward Ballenger, 1545 Alonzo Thompson.

1560 Ray Herman Boyer, 1614 Ira Dix, 1618 Edwin Allen Hollis, 1626 Benjamin George Rogers, 1637 Alva Emory Dodge, 1640 Mark R. Hiles, 1641 William Herschel Houson, 1664 Lawson Arthur Hartness, 1665 Elmer Colin Johnston, 1683 Rella A. Dicks, 1687 Ray Dorance Hackett.

1709 Fred Vince Horn, 1710 Clyde Lester Horn, 1715 Frank Rhodes, 1741 Clarence Earl Rhodes, 1755 George Ora Howell, 1826 Harry Sherman Jones, 1867 Leonard Arnold Dancy.

1900 Herbert Edwin Cehler, 1922 Edgar Roy Owens, 1942 Ed E. Merritt, 1964 John Byron Martin, 1985 John David Miller, 1986 Fred Nicholas.

2001 Orr W. Griffey, 2007 James William Messbarger, 2023 Benjamin Ernest Gossard, 2029 Roy Augustus Messbarger, 2030 Harry Nicholas, 2045 Farnett Greenleaf, 2048 William E. Johnston, 2051 Clarence Henry Miller, 2065 Leo Lester Dale, 2076 Ernest Arthur Riley, 2089 Joseph Nicholas Graves, 2096 Rella H. Ross.

2111 Oliver Gray, 2133 Earl George Graham, 2177 Horace Scruggs Gray, 2264 Enos Irvin East.

Ravenwood.
50 Shubert Alva Coffelt, 55 William Ray Good, 66 John Elmer Stevenson, 73 Taylor Robert Orr, 89 Arden Walton Spennore, 90 Robert Harvey Coffelt.

105 Rufus Hubert Lawson, 128 Everett Edward Lawson, 135 Earl Sturm, 142 Lavell Madison Collinsworth, 147 Grand J. Gates, 165 Walter Edward Chancy, 170 Roy Gay, 174 Bert Keller Lewis, 181 Claude Leo Stockstill, 197 Cecil Eugene Lawson.

204 Wiley Houston Shale, 211 Milo Comer, 216 Thomas Aloysius Graham, 220 Ralph Everett Lewis, 227 George Slamander Standefer.

235 Smith Creed Long, 342 Edgar Bernard Spennore, 363 Aloysius Roseler, 385 Loren Dale Rhodes.

408 Anthony Vincent Roseler, 476 John Roseler, 499 Charley Henry Reed, 522 Frank Alva Ewart Rose, 702 John Harvey Midyett, 707 Clarence Alvin Shank, 748 Ira Edward Moore, 771 Newton Moore.

817 Manning Moore, 840 Frederick Alsdorf Messbarger, 848 William Edward Walker, 863 Johnnie Jernall Montgomery, 886 Virgil Oscar Moore.

928 Leonard Hawley, 935 Lloyd Earl Pow, 941 Marvin Vastin Horton, 957 Ears Clark, 960 William, 980 Henry Tarleton McMillin, 981 Alpha Lee Powell, 997 Eugene Oscar Horton.

1020 William Carl Holman, 1066 George T. Housch, 1068 John Wesley Kirkbride, 1089 Frank Joseph Holman, 1095 John Henry McCann.

1112 Orlando William Hawk, 1114 Andrew Conrad Kimmel, 1135 Arthur L. Hunt, 1138 Claude Henry, 1171 George W. Wright, 1181 Paul Hendrick, 1194 George Washington Walker.

1304 Verne Charles Henson, 1359 Harry Floyd Fryar, 1362 Leland Melville Fryar, 1365 Alpha Roy Fryar, 1433 John Alton Duck, 1476 Hiram Lester David.

1504 Ray Jackson, 1550 Lester Earl Jasper, 1596 Clarence C. Steiger, 1746 Orrel Edwin Zeigler, 1748 Arthur Baysinger, 1771 Charles Hap Blakomere, 1794 Wendell Alexander Bennett.

1817 James Arch Bogue, 1831 Carl Richard Oglesby, 1840 William Bogue, 1854 James O'Brien, 1868 Howard Jackson Bell, 1877 Paul W. McMillin, 1886 Hattie Martin Bradley.

1952 Virgil Channey Burns, 1987 Charles Edward Hanson, 2094 Charles Loomis, 2167 Thomas Roy Teaney, 2189 Ray Thompson.

2255 Roy Hopp Thompson, 2277 Bryan Everett Thompson.

Parnell.
11 Charles O. Harman, 27 Isaac Walter Harris, 34 Harold E. Housch, 53 Elias Henry Estlerling, 76 Ira Clarence Eisenman, 78 Gilbert Milo Gray, 99 August Fredrick Eyring.

124 Oris V. Shelman, 151 Andrew Byrd Lockhart, 157 Joseph E. Spire, 158 Dale C. Simmons, 160 Forbes E. Starr, 188 Cecil Glade Churchhill, 193 Forrest Frank Griffey, 199 Harold E. Gooden, 242 Carl C. Killion, 265 H. Noble Kline, 288 John A. Kline, 311 Lester R. Kariker, 334 Nelson C. Kline, 341 Van Doren Smith, 373 William A. Dale, 383 Ben E. McClain.

406 Charles E. McClain, 456 Emmett Leroy Messner, 679 Willie Riley Miller, 686 Barbara Homer Auffer, 705 Wyatt W. Miller, 718 Port A. Evans, 726 James D. Morton, 733 John Andrew Wildish, 749 Clyde G. Murdoch, 756 Ray A. Wood, 772 Francis M. Murphy, 779 Verrill Wildish, 794 Emmett Miller, 795 Bernard T. Mue.

805 Darrell Ford Wells, 818 Troy H. Miller, 821 Arthur H. Rowell, 825 Alonzo Elmer Volcott, 841 Frank B. Meyer, 844 Solomon T. Reeves, 864 Clio Miller, 867 Robert H. Riley, 885 Roscoe W. Reeves.

1091 Henry C. Kline, 1107 Elva E. Crenshaw, 1113 William Bert Ingram, 1130 Philip Collins, 1134 Lee Ingram, 1141 Alex Charles Waldeier, 1153 Ray Carmichael, 1176 Adelph Cox, 1199 Roy E. Curry.

1217 Lawrence Wilcox, 1261 Howard Lehman, 1285 Yeh, 1381 Albert William Bonnes, 1427 Ralph Elmer Boyd, 1462 George Elbert Nigh, 1483 Robert Jacob Nigh, 1492 Birney F. White, 1494 Albert B. Bennett, 1508 Abraham C. Needles, 1515 Everett H. Wilson, 1517 George William Arnold, 1538 Homer J. Wisley, 1540 Vea Arnold, 1542 Fred Frank, 1549 George T. Newcomb, 1561 Mack Woods, 1582 Fred Teeters, 1584 Reginald C. Welch, 1588 Roy Blanton.

1603 Blaine Thummel, 1607 George T. Wilson, 1611 Benjamin H. Brashear, 1628 Charles Teeters, 1630 Lawrence E. Watson, 1633 Odley P. White, 1657 Jeff Bodeier, 1676 John F. Wilson, 1680 Joe Birkenholz, 1694 Walter M. Paxton, 1699 Oscar W. White, 1703 Charles R. Bublitz, 1717 Loren Paxton, 1726 Homer A. Brummett, 1736 Herbert H. Lawler, 1749 Albert B. Bennett, 1753 Martin B. Farrell, 1759 Charles F. Logan, 1768 Lloyd Thomas Woodruff, 1772 Ross Jacobish, 1776 Jacob W. Potchall, 1778 Roy E. Lambert, 1793 Francis M. Bennett.

1818 Roy Birkenholz, 1908 Leslie Elmer Black, 1930 Everett E. Bentley, 2120 Wiley Cecil Robey, 2211 Dorsey Vern Treese, 2245 Vern Tiffin, 2252 Arley Ambert Robey, 2257 Jesse J. Hawk, 2293 Joseph L. Judd.

Bedison.
800 Morey Floyd Smith, 801 Alvin Marion Thompson, 833 Floyd D. Sanford Evans, 809 Cecil Miles Stewart, 1007 Bert Swearingen, 1581 Dale Stewart, 1719 Charles Smith, 1767 Herman Otis Womack.

Stanberry.
64 Floyd R. Rounds, 413 Clarence Wells, 614 John Leo Runde, 691 Clarence E. Boyd, 972 John M. Glaves, 1735 Raymond W. King, 1742 Raymond L. Summers, 1788 Elbert Short, 1811 Reuter H. Smith, 1857 Anthony J. Steinhauer, 1940 Virgil F. Laughlin, 2011 Russell C. Laughlin, 2139 Abner Vanburan Murphy.

Guest From Shenandoah.
Miss Mabel Whitehead of Shenandoah, arrived in Maryville Friday and spent the week-end with Miss Myrtle Hogue.

Misses Gaynel Wayman, Frieda Carson, Uva Etter; George Yantis, Byron Cox and June Blagg drove to Bigelow yesterday and spent the day.

WANT TO REGISTER CALL MILITIAMEN

MARYVILLE WOMEN WONDER IF WORK WILL BE DONE HERE.

120,000 WILL BE SENT TO TRAINING CAMPS IN TWO WEEKS.

NO PLANS FOR JULY 28 NEED 3 MAJOR GENERALS

Fear That Registered Women May Be Called From Home Duties is Groundless, Authorities Say.

Women in Maryville who are anxious to register for home service during the war are wondering whether or not they will have a chance to do so Saturday, July 28. As yet, the proposition has not been taken up in Maryville, and it is probable that the valiant ones in Maryville will not get to sign up.

Several women of the city have been approached on the subject of taking the registration work in charge, but they say that they have not the time to handle it, and consequently, the "woman of the hour," has yet to come forward to do this patriotic service.

Some women say that they would not register anyway, because they fear that they will be drafted. They think that they will have to leave their positions and homes and go to Europe with the soldiers. The Kansas City Star answers these misinformed women as follows:

"These women miss the whole point and purpose of women's registration, the leaders say. The object of registration is to record for the government what the women are doing in the way of production, what they could do, and what they are willing to do. Working in a store or taking care of mother is just as much service as working a machine gun or driving a fighting airplane. There is no idea of changing the employment of those who are gainfully engaged. There is the purpose, however, of putting to use the idle woman."

Governor Gardner has not, as rumored, declared July 28 a holiday. But at the request of the State Council of Defense he has issued a proclamation recommending that the day be observed as "Patriotic Day" throughout Missouri and that meetings be held in every community to study the problems of the war.

ELMO WOMAN IS DEAD

Mrs. Lavina Abbott Succumbs to Complication of Diseases After Several Months' Illness.

Mrs. Lavina Abbott, 73 years old, died at her home in Elmo at 3:50 o'clock yesterday morning after an illness of several months, resulting from a complication of diseases.

The funeral was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at her home, the Rev. Robert C. Holliday of Maryville officiating. Burial was in High Prairie cemetery.

Mrs. Abbott is survived by one son, Alvin Abbott, of Elmo, by two brothers and two sisters. One of her sisters, Mrs. George Race, lives in Elmo.

BARN TOTALLY DESTROYED

Fire of Unknown Cause Breaks Out in Structure on Teaney Farm Near Ravenwood.

A large barn on the farm of Roy Teaney, two miles south of Ravenwood, was totally destroyed by fire which was discovered at 11:30 o'clock last night. The cause of the fire is not known.

In the barn were two sets of work harness, three sets of single harness, one-half ton of hay and 150 bushels of corn, besides a number of farm implements.

The loss, which has not been estimated, was partly covered by insurance. The silo near the barn was slightly damaged.

BRINGS SUIT FOR DIVORCE.

Stella Fern Ecker Charges Abandonment in Petition for Separation.

Stella Fern Ecker of Elmo brought suit for divorce against Elmer L. Ecker in the circuit clerk's office today on the grounds of abandonment. The petition states they were married in this county on August 16, 1912, and lived together until March 1, 1916.

The care and custody of two minor children are asked for. E. G. Cook is the attorney for the plaintiff. The defendant is a non-resident of this state.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Newcomer of Parnell are in Maryville on business today.

Wilson Is Expected to Nominate Men Immediately to Command New Units—From 11 States.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, July 16.—One hundred twenty-one thousand militiamen were called into service yesterday and will be held two weeks before being sent to training camps. These were the orders sent to General Bell of the eastern department and General Barry of the central department, directing them to assume command. The militia of eleven states were called out yesterday. The date of moving to the training camps mainly depends upon when the camps are ready for the men. They are being medically examined now. Five major-generals are needed to command yesterday's units but only two are available now. The president is expected to nominate three immediately.

FEDS BEAT STUPPYS, 9-6

St. Joseph's Fast Amateur Team Unable to Out-Class Maryville Players—600 See Game.

The fastest amateur team in St. Joseph was defeated by Maryville in a baseball game at the Fair Grounds yesterday afternoon with a score of 9-6. The St. Joseph Stuppys played a good game but were unable to come up to their opponents. The game was noted for the number of hits on both sides. About 600 persons were in attendance.

The line-up for the Stuppys was: Stephens, c; M. Still, p; Tyson, 1b; V. Walker, 2b; Scott, ss; Miller, 3b; Black, lf; L. Walker, cf; R. Still, rf.

The next game will be Sunday, when the Stuppys meet the Burlington Junction team at the Fair Grounds in the third contest of the season. Burlington Junction and Maryville each has a game to its credit. Much interest is being shown regarding the winner of the third game and a good contest is expected.

TREES SYMBOLS OF LIFE

The Rev. Gilbert S. Cox Gives Significance of This Form of Plant Life in Nature Sermon.

"There are three trees in the Bible that gather up the principal facts in the life of man," said the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox in his last night's nature sermon.

"The first of these is the tree of knowledge of good and evil, which is a symbol of an experience through which each man passes in his life time.

"The second is the tree of death, from which Christ was crucified and from which flows life to all those who have faith in the Redeemer.

"The third tree is the tree of life that grows in the Paradise of God. It is the symbol of immortal life and is spoken of in Revelations thus, 'To Him that overcometh evil shall be given the right to eat of the Tree of Life.'"

Mr. Cox gave the significance of the tree in religion from the beginning. He said that the early Asiatic families had their own sacred tree and that the symbol of the Buddhist religion was the fig or baobab tree. He also mentioned the fact that one of the most delightful celebrations of the Christian religion was built around the Christmas tree.

CHARGED WITH TRIPLE MURDER.

George Thompson of Phila., Pa., Accused of Killing Partner, Wife and Son Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Carrollton, Pa., July 16.—George Thompson of Philadelphia, was formally charged with triple murder of Edward Humphries, a wealthy coal operator, his wife and son. The information was read to Thompson in the county jail. "Before God I am innocent," the accused exclaimed. "My hands are clean of this." Thompson was a business partner of Humphries who was slain while all four were motoring near their summer home.

Alex Fraser Arrested.

Alex Fraser was arrested Saturday afternoon on a charge of peddling without a license. He was bound over until the September term of court.

ROUTING HIM OUT.



—Seibel in Albany Knickerbocker Press.

1,000 AT HOME COMING

Palestine Community Has Most Successful Home Coming in Years—Harmony Sends Delegation.

Palestine had its most successful homecoming yesterday when 1,000 persons from all parts of the county and from neighboring counties gathered at the church for the celebration. Two hundred cars were parked on the grounds during the day, the Harmony delegation alone having twenty-eight cars in the representation.

The dinner, which was served by the women of the community shortly after the noon hour, was highly praised both for quality and quantity, but this part of the program was no more enjoyable than the morning and afternoon speeches and songs which were heard by the majority of the visitors in the church.

Miss Eva Davis and G. B. Roseberry took advantage of the day to give Sunday school work a boost. Miss Davis gave her talk on "The Value of Story Telling," with pictorial and sand table illustrations. Mr. Roseberry told the Graham folks how to run a small Sunday school in a speech entitled, "Hash and Pep." The sermon for the church hour was preached by the Rev. C. R. Green of Harmony, who gave his views on the war.

The dinner was followed by a musical and speech-making program, the assistants being Mrs. F. P. Robinson, Prof. P. O. Landon, H. J. Becker, Hal Catterson and the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. Mr. Cox and Emmett Bishop of Ravenwood talked on war subjects. The Rev. S. D. Harlan presided.

LEONARD BABY TO MOTHER

Judge Dawson Orders Child Given Each Sunday to Father, Who Must Support Her.

The custody of Wilma Esther Leonard, 2 years old, was given to her mother, Mary Leonard, by Judge Dawson in circuit court late Saturday afternoon in a contest over the possession of the child. The court dismissed the writ of habeas corpus as to the defendant, Mary Pike, the child's grandmother, and granted Floyd Leonard, the father, the right to have the child each Sunday and to return her to her mother each Sunday evening. The court also ordered the father to pay to her mother the sum of \$2 a week for the support of the child.

BODY FOUND IN RIVER.

Fort Collins, Colo., July 16.—The body, believed to be Claude Foster of Clinton, Mo., is being held here for identification. He was found in the river and a registration card bearing Foster's name was on the body. It is believed that the body has been in the water three weeks. He probably fell from the bank into the river.

MORE TROUBLE IN GREECE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Zurich, July 16.—The situation is serious in Greece. Despite King Alexander's pro-ally utterances, differences have arisen between the King and Premier Venizelos because the former clings to his father's pro-German sentiment.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday.

WILL HURRY DRAFT

EACH MAN HAS SERIAL NUMBER FOR DRAFT CALL.

STATES URGED TO REPORT

Number on Registration Card Is Not Number By Which You Will Be Drafted.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, July 16.—General Crowder is hurrying preparations for the draft. He has wired the twelve states which have not yet reported urging complete reports by Tuesday night, so that the names may be drawn by Saturday.

General Crowder will hold a newspaper man's school a few hours before the drawing explaining the plan and how the draft must be handled.

Compromise Food Bill.

Washington, July 16.—An agreement to compromise the food control bill, clearly resembling the administration's original measure was arranged this afternoon by the bi-partisan leaders in their conferences.

Say Draft Is "Dice Loaded."

Washington, July 16.—Charges in the senate this afternoon that the draft is "dice loaded" and that the census bureau figures in the north had been padded for the benefit of the south were followed by the adoption of a resolution by Senator Brandegee of Connecticut calling upon the Secretary of Commerce to furnish the official figures upon which the draft quotas in the various localities are based.

INVESTIGATING RECENT RIOTS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

East St. Louis, July 16.—A triple investigation of the recent riots is now under way. The military board and the coroner's jury are taking evidence here. The grand jury at Belleville and the militia on duty will be sent home tomorrow.

40 L. W.'s ARRESTED.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Klamath Falls, July 16.—Forty L. W.'s were jailed following the clean-up here today. The organization has been accused of burning a big flour mill and the members are being arrested on sight.

AMBULANCE CORPS TO FRONT.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Paris, July 16.—Two sections of the American ambulance corps left for the front today. It is understood that they will be put into active service immediately.

NEW CHANCELLOR SPEAKS.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Amsterdam, July 16.—Dr. George Michaelis, the new German chancellor, will deliver his first speech in the Reichstag. He is expected to announce his program.

3-LOST ON SUBMARINE SHIP.

Washington, July 16.—The state department was advised of the submerging of the American steamer Grace, when three lives were lost and five were injured in the explosion of the cargo of petroleum.

Russ Take 30,643 Prisoners.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Petrograd, July 16.—Between July 11 and July 13, the Russians captured 30,643 Germans, ninety-three cannon and 493 machine guns.

BREWER TO WAR CAMP.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Columbia, Mo., July 16.—The War Department has directed C. L. Brewer, athletic director at the University of Missouri to take charge of athletics at a Southern army cantonment camp. He will not make public the name of the camp until later, he said.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Tuesday; warmer Tuesday.

Feature Tonight

Empire Theatre

5 and 10 cents

Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
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Feature Tonight
Empire Theatre
5 and 10 cents

Electric Theatre Tonight

5c and 10c—5c and 10c

Richard Bennett

in "Philip Holden Waster"

TUESDAY.

WILLIAM RUSSELL, in "The Frame-up."

The Democrat-Forum

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY

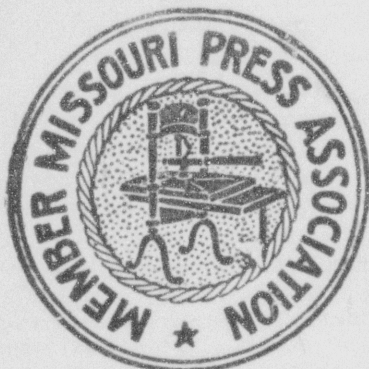
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TO AN OLD FRIEND.

How dear to my heart are the beans
of my childhood.
Which fond, colored mammy present-
ed to view;
The great pan of corn pone, the thick
slab of bacon,
The pot of those baked beans we all
loved she knew.
The smell was delicious as we all sat
waiting
Our turn to be served as they came
down the line.
And we could have plenty, in fact, all
we wanted—
For nothing was cheaper and few
things so fine.

Chorus:
Oh, sweet-smelling baked beans!
Oh, plain little white beans!
The cheap little soup beans,
The dish that's sublime.
Today I went shopping to buy things
much needed.
Some beans I must have if I bought
nothing more;
And down at a grocer's I gave him a
dollar
And had twenty beans when I left his
old store.
I'm having them strung as a necklace
for baby,
And not again soon any beans shall I
buy,
But one I will keep as a souvenir al-
ways—
And in a few weeks we shall say with
a sigh:

Chorus:
Oh, dear priceless baked beans!
Oh, precious small white beans!
Oh, high-priced good soup beans,
That money can't buy!
—Mrs. G. A. Smith,
in Capper's Weekly
Rock Port, Mo.

CONTENT.

(By Robert Greene).
Sweet are the thoughts that savour
of content.
The quiet mind is richer than a
crown.
Sweet are the nights in careless slum-
ber spent.
The poor estate scorn's fortune's
angry frown;
Such sweet content, such minds, such
sleep, such bliss,
Beggars enjoy, when princes oft do
miss.

The homely house that harbors quiet
rest,
The cottage that affords no pride
nor care.

The Modern Spirit

of co-operation, the spirit which animates all suc-
cessful business, prevails in the organization of our
Federal Reserve Bank.

We own stock in it. We keep our reserve cash in it.
We have a voice in electing its directors and through
them in choosing its management. It is our bank,
and its resources enable us at all times to meet the
legitimate banking requirements of our community.

You, in turn, can co-operate with us in maintaining
the Federal Reserve Banking System, and at the same
time share in its benefits and protection by becom-
ing one of our depositors.

First National Bank

Member Federal Reserve System

THE OPEN DOOR, BUT ONE TO BE WATCHED.



—Cesare in New York Post.

The mean that grees with country
music best,
The sweet consort of mirth and mod-
est fare,
Obscured life sets down a type of
bliss:
A mind content both crown and king-
dom is. —Ex.

COMMUNICATION.

Patriotic Registration for All United
States Women.

The government at Washington has
asked the women of the country to
register for service.

Governor Gardner has issued a pro-
clamation for Missouri designating
July 28 as "Patriotic Day" and re-
quests that on that day every woman
in the state tell the Government what
she is doing and what she is willing
to do to help her country during the
period of the war. Though the ques-
tions are asked whether or not you
will go abroad, go any place in the
United States, etc., to serve, it should
be emphasized that you can serve
your country noble without leaving
your home, or your own home town.
As to sorts of service now under 154
heads there is one sort at least to
which every woman should pledge
herself.

As the registration lists of the
women are to be used by two depart-
ments of the Government, (1) the
Council of National Defense, and (2)
the Hoover Administration — each
woman of the country when she goes
to register July 28 will sign two slips.
These will be separately bundled and
sent to their respective Washington
headquarters.

It is estimated that from Missouri
alone will come 1,800,000 registra-
tions.
Of course the machinery for the or-
ganization of the State has been set
in motion. There is one Vice Chair-
man for each of the districts. These
Vice Chairmen will appoint an or-
ganizer for every county in their dis-
trict. The county organizers will ap-
point an organizer for each town in
her county. The work of the Wom-
an's Committee of the Council of Na-
tional Defense is divided into the fol-
lowing departments: Red Cross, Food
Conservation, Relief, Women in In-
dustry, Education, Finance, Speakers,
and Registration. Until after Patriot-

ic Day, July 28, every woman in the
state is asked as her patriotic duty
to concern herself mainly with Reg-
istration. Service is divided into
trained and untrained, paid and Vol-
unteer. There are other divisions of
Agriculture, Home Duties, Clerical,—
in a word, every kind of work for
which need may arise if the war con-
tinues for a long time.

The Hoover Pledge for which reg-
istration will be made on the same
day and at the same places as the
Council of National Defense Pledge,
is to enroll the housewives of the na-
tion into a National Thrift Army. The
plan of producers has been outlined
by Mr. Hoover and the pledge, uni-
form over the United States, was
written by him.

Newspapers, public speakers and
printed matter will be used in the ef-
fort to procure on that day a registra-
tion of which Missouri will be
proud. At the time of this writing 59
women have pledged themselves as
speakers to campaign the state.

Women of the State of Missouri,
give written evidence of your patri-
otism by registering on July 28.
(Mrs. E. M.) Althea Somerville
Grossman, 6032 Clemens Ave., St.
Louis, Mo., Press Committee Missouri
State Suff. Association.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

List of instruments filed in the Re-
corder's office in Maryville, Nodaway
county, Missouri, beginning July 7.

Warranty Deeds.

George L. Willey to Charles M.
Hartness, lots 4, 5 and 6, block 4, Bar-
rean's Add. to Maryville, \$1,800.
Virginia C. Henry to Jesse F. Bur-
rington, lots 5, 6 and 7, block 27, Bur-
rington Junction, \$1.
Robert T. Campbell to Barton L.
Monroe, lot 12, block 7, J. M. Lamar
Add to Elmo, \$100.

Paulina F. Ross to Simon P. Ross,
lot 7, block 2, Ravenwood, \$1,250.
Adolph Lippman et al to James L.
Felix, part lots 5 and 6, block 7, Mary-
ville, \$2,400.

Quit-Claim Deeds.

Goodman Griffey to Robert T. La-
mar, N½, N½, SE, 28, 66, 37, \$1.
Rebecca J. Lamme to same, N. 10
acres, W½, SE, 28, 66, 37, \$1.
Lowell B. Campbell to Mary Heath
Masters, part block 26, Barnard, \$1.
Moses Nusbaum to Delia M. Hy-
slop, one-third interest in Boiler and
Fixtures in Ream Hotel, \$100.

Deed of Adoption.

Eugene J. Klaas adopts Mary Mag-
delene Poland.

WE'RE MAKING PROGRESS.

Count that day lost whose low de-
cending sun
Sees no new monarch take it on the
run.
Said the king of Greece to the king
of Spain:
"Crowns are baubles and thrones are
vain."
"I was going to speak that very
piece,"
Said the king of Spain to the king of
Greece. —Ex.

Returns to St. Joseph.

Miss Beatrix Winn of St. Joseph who
has been the guest of Misses Beulah
Brunner and Mildred Miller, for the
last few days left this morning for
her home. She will remain there a
month and will then go to Manitou,
Colo., for a visit.

Otis Lyle of near Arkoe shipped a
car load of hogs to St. Joseph today.

CANNING METHODS FAIL

College of Agriculture Says Cause Is
Probably Due to Bacteria Re-
sistance This Year.

Reports have come to the Univer-
sity of Missouri College of Agricul-
ture indicating that the method of
canning vegetables which has proved
completely successful in previous
years is resulting in a number of
failures this year. No satisfactory
reason can be offered except that
there is some evidence that the bac-
teria which cause canned vegetables
to spoil are more resistant in some
years than others. It is probable al-
so that the inferior can rubbers and
can tops on the market this year may
be causing the trouble.

In the absence of a satisfactory ex-
planation of the trouble which house-
wives have been having with canned
vegetables, the College of Agriculture
recommends that the period of steri-
lization for certain vegetables be in-
creased in accordance with the fol-
lowing: The time for sterilizing as-
paragus, which was 1½ hours should
be increased to 2 hours, pumpkin for-
merly 1½ hours increased to 2 hours,
squash formerly 1 hour, increased to
2 hours, lima beans formerly 2 hours
increased to 3 hours, peas formerly 2
hours increased to 3 hours.

This change in the time of sterili-
zation does not mean that the shorter
period is not correct with careful
work and with conditions as they
have been in previous years, but the
longer period will tend to correct im-
perfect workmanship and the unusu-
al conditions which seem to prevail
this year.

The following points are again em-
phasized:

1. Do not begin to count time
when the jars are placed in the can-
ner, but wait until the water begins
to boil hard.
2. Count time only while water is
boiling hard. If it stops for only a
few minutes, make up for lost time
with longer boiling.

URGES CLOTHES SAVING

University Teacher Says That Con-
servation of Textile Materials Is
as Important as That of Food.

While food conservation is es-
pecially important at this time, Miss
Mary E. Robinson of the University
of Missouri College of Agriculture,
suggests that conservation of clothing
is equally important. Miss Robinson
has suggested that women economize
on clothing not only to save money,
but to conserve textile materials.
Whenever possible, last season's
clothing should be adapted to the
present season.

If it is necessary to buy new gar-
ments, the number should be as
small as possible. This is an excel-
lent time to adopt some simple style
of dress of serviceable materials and
standard colors which may be worn
more than one season. Hats, Miss
Robinson suggests, should also be of
simple style with little or no trim-
ming. Last season's hats may be
easily renovated and made very at-
tractive.

Shoes do not always give the ser-
vice that they should in view of their
cost. The durable rather than the
dainty style should be selected;
Dainty shoes are necessarily short
wearing.

The housewife may effect savings
by pressing, dyeing, patching, darn-
ing, and re-making garments already
on hand. When it is absolutely nec-
essary to buy new clothing, thrift
may be practiced by buying wisely
and doing the sewing at home. In
this way the housewife can perform a
national service. At this time the
embarrassment which formerly ac-
companied the wearing of last sea-
son's dress becomes an honor. In
this way also the textiles which or-
dinary are devoted to clothing may
be relieved for the needs of soldiers,
surgeons and nurses.

Pauline Frederick Tonight.

It is not very often that an author
has an opportunity of creating upon
the screen at least one of the char-
acters which he has created in his
own mind. In "Nanette of the Wilds,"
in which Pauline Frederick is being
starred by the Famous Players Film
company on the Paramount program,
Willard Mack, the well known play-
wright and actor, appears in the role
of O'Brien of the Royal Canadian
Northwest Mounted Police. "Nanette
of the Wilds" is the featured attrac-
tion at the Empire Theatre tonight.

Miss Margery Trout of Tarkio ar-
rived yesterday to visit her cousin,
Miss Mary Margaret Richey.

Will Linville of Skidmore is in
Maryville on business today.

J. D. Ford will begin a residence on
North Mulberry street this week.

Perfect title suits filed Friday
were George W. Colter vs. John W.
Brock, et al., and John R. Knisley vs.
the unknown widow of John Huff-
man, deceased.

DEAL FOR STRAWBERRY BED

Freshly Broken Land Is Best, Provided
It Has Been Planted to Some
Cultivated Crop.

The strawberry leads the list of
small fruits in popularity because of
its wide range of adaptation to soil and
climatic condition. The large number
of varieties gives a long season of the
most delicious fruit. Its ease of cul-
ture and its early season of bearing
make it a desirable home and market
crop.

The strawberry is most productive
in a sandy-loam soil; but, if this type
of soil is not available, it may be
grown with good results in many of
the heavier soils.

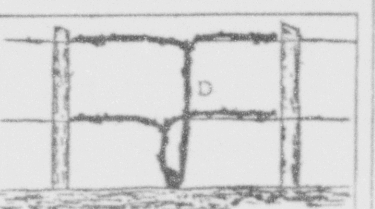
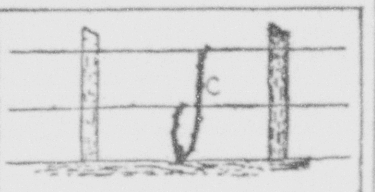
Freshly broken land is usually ideal
for a strawberry bed, provided it has
first been planted to some cultivated
crop, such as potatoes.

Sod land is likely to be infested with
white grubs, which are dangerous to
tender plants.

GRAPE PRUNING ON TRELLIS

Essential That Vines Be Trained in
Some Definite Form—Plan of
South Carolina Station.

It is very important that vines be
trained in some definite form and
this should begin the first season af-
ter planting. The South Carolina ex-
periment station recommends a trellis
with the posts 16 feet apart, 4½ feet



high and having two strands of wire.
No. 9 telephone wire will make a good
trellis.

During the second year the canes
are cut back and tied to the wire as
shown in Fig. C. The pruning of the
second and all later years is shown
in Fig. D. Leave four of the most vig-
orous canes as the foundation for fu-
ture growth.

Never permit the cane of one vine
to overlap those on the next to it.

PROTECT YOUNG APPLE TREES

Clear All Grass and Trash Away From
Trunks to Discourage Mice—
Tramp Snow Down.

It is a good plan to throw a few
shovelfuls of earth close around the
trunks of young apple trees, at the same
time clearing all grass and trash away.
After the first fall of snow tramp well,
close to each tree.

This treatment will discourage mice
from nesting about the tree and gnaw-
ing the bark under protection of the
snow.

PREPARE FOR BEST ORCHARD

Give Trees Careful Attention and Re-
sult Will Not Be Disappointing—
Plant a Variety.

Resolve to have a good orchard. Set
aside an acre or more of your best
and to be devoted to orchard purposes
only, and plant it to recommended
varieties of fruit.

Give the trees the same careful at-
tention as your best-paying field crop
and the result will not be disappoint-
ing.

Arrest Flat River Rioters.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Flat River, July 16.—J. H. Overall,
the confessed leader of the mob which
injured scores and drove 1,500 for-
eigners out of town, marked the first
step in the prosecution of the rioters
by the military and civil authorities.
nineteen men have been arrested and
it was announced that there would be
no further trouble.

ELEVATOR GIRLS NEXT.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
St. Louis, July 16.—Now comes the
elevator girl. Officials of the Wright
and Third National Bank buildings
here have picked three girls to run
elevators in order to relieve the men
for selective draft and military ser-
vice.

The girls will go through their
numerous "ups and downs in life"
torged out in uniforms. They started
work this morning. It is thought a
number of other big down-town
buildings here will soon adopt girl
operators.

CLEANING CITY OF VICE.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.
Atlanta, Ga., July 16.—Atlanta is
cleaning up the city of vice before the
arrival of the national army for train-
ing here.

City Dads in Fish Fry.

The annual fish fry of the city of-
ficials will be held Thursday. The
place selected is the George Dyson
farm on the Nodaway river south of
Skidmore.

Delineator

THE Delineator for
August is now in.
You can get yours by
calling at the pattern
counter.

Kaines

We do not
deliver Delineators.

The Store That Is Anxious To
Please You.

Miss Jean Miller of Stanberry is
visiting her cousin, Miss Grace Bu-
holt and also Miss Edna Hawk of
Ravenwood.

Misses Doris and Mildred Wallace
went to Burlington Junction to visit
over Sunday at the home of Dr. George
Trusty.

Read This Price List

Every article is underpriced
You're certain to find some-
thing that interests you.

Townsend's

Fourth and Main Streets

Hundreds of Watermelons (Tom Watson variety) from 35c to 50c each	Choice Dill Pickles, glass jar.....15c
Pennant Flour (milled from old wheat) 48lb sack\$2.75	Imperial Codfish, 1lb wooden boxes for 25c
White Borax Naptha Soap, 10 bars for 42c	Sunbright Cleanser, 4 cans.....15c
Laundry Queen (white soap), 10 bars for 32c	Fresh Mackerel, small cans.....15c
Macaroni or Spaghetti, full size pkgs. for 10c	Large tins 25c
Heinz Special Pickling Vinegar, gallon 40c	25c pails Axle Grease, 2 for.....35c
Extra Large Santa Clara Prunes, per lb 15c	10c Tin Boxes Best Axle Grease 2 for 15c
2lb Bulk Seeded Raisins, for 25c	10c pkgs. Ivory Powdered Starch 7c
15c Cans Walker's Chili Con Carne 10c	Quart Mason Jars Queen Olives. 20c
Tomato Catsup, extra large bot- tle, Snider's, Libby's, or Beech Nut 22c	Tall Jars Sweet Pickle Relish. 2 for 15c
Smoked Sliced Dried Beef, glass jars 15c and 25c	2 Cans Best Talcum Powder.....15c
Potted Meats, doz cans 60c	¼lb Cans Tuna Fish (light and dark meat), ...8c
Fork and Beans, with tomato sauce, small, 2 cans for.....15c	¼lb Cans for 12c
Large, 2 cans for.....25c	1lb Cans for 16c
Mason's Fruit Jars (complete), pints, per doz 48c	Queen of Roses, Glycerine Soap 3 bars for 25c
Quarts, per doz 53c	Pure Cider Vinegar, gal Glass Jugs for 40c
Half gallons, per doz 75c	Heinz Pickling Vinegar, ½ gal. Glass Jugs for 28c
6 doz. White Rubber Rings for Mason Jars 25c	Gallon Jugs 55c
Gold Coin, Fancy Short Patent Flour (old wheat), 48lb sack \$3.20	Small Cans Pine Apple (cocktail style), 2 for 15c
Green Apples, peck 35c	Tango Brand Best Ice Tea, large pkg 25c; small pkg.....10c
Solid Home Grown Cabbage, 7lb 25c	Economy Fruit Jars, pints, per doz 70c
No. 1 Cans Yellow Peaches, fine quality, 2 cans for.....25c	Quarts, per doz 80c
No. 1 cans Best Muscat Grapes per can 10c	Half Gallons, per doz\$1.00
15c for Large Can Broken Slices Good Pineapple.	Walter Baker's Ground Chocolate ½lb cans 15c
Rumford Baking Powder, 15c half pound cans 12c	Hershey's Cocoa, ½lb cans 18c
Rumford Baking Powder, 25c pound cans 22c	No. 2 Cans Red Beans, only 10c
1lb Tall Cans Pink Salmon.....15c	Hams—Finest Flavor and Cure, 12 to 20lb sizes, per lb 24c
Dozen cans\$1.70	Jello, all flavors, pkg.....10c
Ice Cream Salt, 10lb Sacks 10c	Kellogg's Sterilized Cooked Bran Large pkg. 25c
Goblin Toilet Soap, per cake.....5c	Best Ceylon Gunpowder or Japan Teas, 65c quality, per lb 45c
Quart Cans Hominy.....10c	Country Rendered Pure Lard, 2lb for 55c
2 Cans Sugar Corn 25c	Lard Compound, White Ribbon Brand, 2lb for 45c
Quart Cans Tomatoes 2 cans for. 35c	30c Pind Cans Oriental Coffee, Steel Cut, reduced to 25c
3 cans for 50c	Tiger Brand Jams, ½lb Glasses. 10c
	Prices Quoted are for Tuesday and Wednesday.

Four Deliveries Daily

Townsend's

Fourth and Main Streets

Normal Pins and Rings

A recent shipment of new and snappy designs of

Normal Pins and Rings

Has made our stock of Normal Jewelry complete. An early call will assure you a large assortment to choose from.

Holmes Jewelry Co.
WEST SIDE SQUARE

Society and Clubland

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD
HARMO, 42. Farmers, 114

Calendar.
TUESDAY—The Mary Lawrence circle will hold a picnic Tuesday evening at Hastings Lake.

WEDNESDAY—The Wednesday Bridge club will meet at the home of Miss Kitty Grooms Wednesday afternoon.

THURSDAY—The Epworth Bible class of the First Methodist church will meet at 8 o'clock Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. C. Corwin.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday afternoon in the Epworth League room.

FRIDAY—All who are interested in making comfort bags for the soldiers are requested to meet at the Christian church at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon.

SATURDAY—The King's Herald band will meet at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon with Misses Mary Ruth and Gertrude Carman.

Guests At Harrington's.

Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Wiles and little daughter, Juanita, were dinner guests yesterday of Prof. and Mrs. E. L. Harrington.

For Gertrude Arnett.

Mrs. A. D. Arnett entertained with a party Saturday afternoon at her home on North Buchanan street, in honor of her little daughter, Gertrude. The afternoon was spent in playing games and light refreshments were served by the hostess. Those present were: Esther Roseberry, Eva Margaret Frank, Frances Remus, Bill

Wright and Gertrude Arnett.

Guests at Bennett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bennett had for dinner guests yesterday Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fritchman and daughter, Mary Marguerite, of Rosendale.

Guests at Hall Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hall entertained at dinner yesterday at their beautiful country home north of Maryville. Covers were laid for: Mrs. Flora Quinn and daughter, Miss Ora, John Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Elizabeth Lee and Edgar Hall and the host and hostess.

Miss Marsh, Hostess.

Miss Edith Marsh, assisted by Miss Mabel Felix, entertained at dinner yesterday at the home of Mrs. P. L. Murrin, of South Buchanan street. The following guests were present: Miss Agatha Hengeler, Miss Jess Fisher and Miss Clara Stien, Miss Marsh and Miss Felix are summer students at the State Normal school.

For Cole's Guests.

The Westminster Guild of the Presbyterian church will entertain Thursday evening with a lawn supper and out-door entertainment, complimentary to Mrs. Carlton C. Shelby of Jonestown, Miss., and Clifford Cole of Gary, Ind., who are guests of their parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Cole. The affair will be given at the home of Dean and Mrs. G. H. Colbert.

Lyle's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lyle were host and hostess at a 12 o'clock dinner given yesterday at their home 1044 miles southwest of Maryville. Their guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Rankin Lyle of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lyle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lyle and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Lyle and daughter, Miss Bessie of

Graham. Hutchison Lyle of Colorado City, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Alderman of Maryville.

Dinner Party Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Brody of Wilcox were host and hostess to a dinner party at their home Sunday. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Humphrey and son, Vincent Lee, of Hill Farm, near Burlington Junction, Mrs. L. A. Voshell and Walter Williams of Dawsonville, Mr. Earl Bobbit, Mr. S. J. Friend and son, James, and Frank Brody of Wilcox. A musical program of several numbers was given in the afternoon on the piano, dulcimer, violin and guitar.

Hall's Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall were host and hostess at a dinner given yesterday at their home, west of Maryville. Covers were laid for: Mr. and Mrs. Charley Barrow and daughters, Olive, LeVeta, and Genevieve, Mr. and Mrs. Therman Dickerson, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Scott and son, Paul Foster, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoite and daughter, Leora, Frank Piece, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall and daughters, Wilma and Vivian.

Entertain Hopkins Guest.

A. R. Middleton and daughter, Mrs. Pearl McKinney and son Frank, entertained at 6 o'clock dinner last night for: Isaac Middleton and sons, Clyde and Claude, and daughter, Miss Ruby Middleton and sons, McMillen and children, Ruby Irene, Everett H., and Margaret Haller of Hopkins. Claude Middleton, who has joined the United States army, will leave Tuesday for Jefferson Barracks.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Young and daughter, Ruth, entertained at dinner yesterday at their home on East Third street. Their guests were: Mrs. S. E. McKee and family of Ravenwood, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Appleby and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Whitehead, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. William Trullinger and daughter, Mary Arvella.

Dinner at Country Home.

A 12 o'clock dinner was given yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Baker, south of Maryville. Following were the guests present: Mrs. Henry Myers and her guests, Pete Sturm and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Weyker of Port Washington, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Ed Myers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Sturm, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flynn of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Sturm of Conception and Grandma Byrnes were afternoon guests at the Baker home.

Sunday School Class Picnic.

Misses Dora and Minnie Coulter of Arkoe entertained with a picnic in honor of the members of their Sunday school classes on Saturday at Bridgewater. Games were played and a dainty picnic lunch was served. Those present were: Mary Yelsley, Hester, Helen and Thelma Shipp, Opal Thompson, Clesta and Lydia Allen, Mattie Wyatt, Florence Morrow, Marjorie and Hazel Carr, Ellen Jane Swinford, Eliza Duke, Ruth Corrough, Paul and Harry Yelsley, Lawrence and Benny Thompson, Ned Swinford and Glen Lawrence.

Mrs. Emmett Scott Entertains.

Mrs. Emmett Scott entertained the Young Woman's Missionary society of the First Methodist church, Saturday afternoon at her pretty country home, Maple Park, west of Maryville. A short program was given. Those taking part on the program were: Mrs. L. L. Maier, Mrs. Arthur Brewer and Miss Ethel Embree. Mrs. C. A. Bone and the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox sang two solos. About thirty-five members and guests were present. The guests were: Miss Hazel Weage, who is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Leeson, Mrs. McGill, who is the guest of Mrs. W. F. Burris, Mrs. W. O. Garrett, Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. E. M. Claypool, Mrs. J. C. Lee, Mrs. C. A. Bone, Mrs. Roy Pettit, Mrs. Frank Hall, and two daughters, Wilma and Vivian, Mrs. Charley Wells and little daughter, Margaret Marie, Mrs. O. J. Willhoite, and daughter, Leora, Mrs. Clara Buck, Mrs. Brint Embree, and Anna Houston and Mrs. W. H. Houston of Burlington Junction, who are guests of Mrs. Emmett Scott.

Mrs. Charles Porter Entertains.

Mrs. Charles Porter entertained the Herron Homemaking circle at her home Wednesday afternoon, July 11. The afternoon was spent in quilting and music and with a guessing contest on a shirt waist. Miss Mary Taylor won the first prize and Mrs. Albert Appleby the second prize. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Miss Marybelle Fisher and Miss Marion Roberts. Those present were: Mrs. V. A. Guthrie, Mrs. Sam Fisher, Mrs. R. Neidel, Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Mrs. Lou Rogers, Mrs. Nellie Manley, Mrs. I. E. Tobow, Mrs. A. E. Cockayne, Mrs. Albert Appleby, Miss Esther Neidel, Miss Mary Taylor, Miss Vida Fisher, Miss Grace Fisher, Miss Nellie Wilson. The visitors present

were: Mrs. Claude Shell and daughter Ella Marjory, Mrs. Elihu Shell and daughter, Rebecca, Mrs. John Griffey, Mrs. John Drago, Mrs. John Shipp, Mrs. Frank Gray, Mrs. Otis Shipp and two children, Mrs. J. Onstott, Mrs. Orville Willhoite and daughter, Leora, Miss Lida Onstott, Miss Marion Roberts, Miss Dorothy Feffler from Lincoln, Neb., a guest of Miss Vida Wilson. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. V. A. Guthrie, July 25. Each member is requested to bring with them 25 cents which will be given to the Nicholas family of Wilcox.

Open Meeting for Picking Methodists.

The Missionary society of the Methodist church at Pickering will hold an open meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joe Everhart. A program will be given and refreshments will be served. Mrs. C. S. Dayhoff will have charge of the program. A silver offering will be taken.

Mrs. Lee Strong, Hostess.

Mrs. Lee Strong planned and successfully carried out a surprise in honor of her husband's twenty-third birthday anniversary yesterday. The dining room was prettily decorated with red, white and blue and the table was centered with a beautiful birthday cake lighted with small tapers. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Al Drago, Mr. and Mrs. George Eisenman, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Strong, of Barnard, Mrs. Myrtle Knox, Mrs. Grace Fagan, Misses Bessie Knox, Bertha Fanning, Grace Helen and Gladys Drago, Zora, Velma and Katherine Eisenman, Minnie Knox and Cleo Strong of St. Joseph, Fred, Oscar and Harold Knox, Earl Eisenman and the host and hostess.

MRS. McWHORTER DIES

Cancer of the Stomach Fatal to Ravenwood Woman—Funeral Service Tomorrow.

Mrs. Thomas McWhorter died at 6:35 this morning at her home near Ravenwood following a long illness of cancer of the stomach.

Mrs. McWhorter would have been 79 years old had she lived until August 6. She is survived by her husband, five daughters and two sons. Three of her daughters live near Ravenwood, one in Washington and one in Oklahoma. One son lives near Stanberry and the other in Montana.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Christian church in Ravenwood, conducted by the Rev. C. R. Green. Burial will be in Oak Lawn cemetery near Ravenwood.

FORM COMMUNITY COAL ASS'N.

Mayor Robey Makes Arrangements to Sell Product at Cost.

A community coal association for the purpose of selling coal at cost has been formed here and already three cars of coal have been received and disposed of. The coal is purchased from the Home Riversdale Coal Mines company of Leavenworth, Kan. Other cars are to be bought. The coal sells for about \$5.20 a ton.

Mayor A. S. Robey recently made a trip to the mines at Leavenworth and made arrangements for the coal.

KIPHART BOUND OVER.

Man Charged With Arson Has as Yet Been Unable to Give \$2,000 Bond.

William Kiphart charged with setting fire to the home of John S. Burch near Pickering last week, was arraigned before Justice of Peace Johnson late Saturday afternoon. He was bound over to circuit court and his bond was fixed at \$2,000. The charge is arson in the first degree. He was unable to give bail yet.

Henry Anderson to Rochester.

W. H. Anderson south of Maryville, and his son, Dr. Harry Anderson of Corvallis, Ore., who has been visiting in Maryville, left this morning for Mayo Brothers hospital, at Rochester, Minn., where Mr. Anderson will undergo an examination. Dr. Anderson will then return to his home in Oregon.

To Work at Barnard.

A. D. Arnett of the Arnett Decorating company, went to Barnard this morning with a force of men to decorate the new opera house which was recently built.

Attend Photographers' Convention.

F. W. Crow went to Kansas City yesterday to attend the Tri-State convention of photographers. Mr. Crow will return the latter part of the week.

Miss Ada Stanton, who is attending the Normal, visited over Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Fillmore.

Anselm Schumacher left Sunday for a fishing trip at Reserve, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hornbuckle of Clearmont are in Maryville on business today.

DR. H. I. JONES AT CHAUTAUQUA

Lecture and Demonstration of Scientific Truths

SCIENCE MADE POPULAR

Dr. Jones Presents Scientific Data in a Way That Is at Once Instructional and Intensely Interesting

Few people realize to what extent national safety depends upon the work of the scientist. Few stop to think to what extent they are indebted to the scientist for the comforts and necessities of life. Dr. Hilton I. Jones, a university professor, has been secured for Chautauqua to give a lecture and demonstration of practical science.

SCIENCE MADE POPULAR

One's first impression of the subject of "Vibrations" is that it is a dry, prosaic presentation of scientific data. Dr. Jones has an ambition to popularize scientific truths and increase the appreciation of their importance in the practical affairs of everyday life. He has found the way to do. Interesting facts, most of them new to the average audience, are presented in terms of common understanding and people are fascinated as they find their fund of scientific knowledge increased without any study on their part. Apparatus is carried by Dr. Jones with which he conducts experiments during the course of his lecture.

A PRACTICAL SCIENTIST

Few really great scientists are able to present their scientific knowledge in a manner that can even be understood, to say nothing of made interesting by the average audience. Dr. Jones has the ability to present scientific truths to the public in a way that a popular audience can both understand and appreciate.

HONORED AT HOME

Dr. Jones was the founder and for three years president of the South Dakota Academy of Science, founder of the Farmers' Club Movement and is president of the Rural Life Betterment Association. He is recognized as one of South Dakota's leading public men.

HONORED BY PRESIDENT

Dr. Jones was one of the men appointed by the president on the National Council for Defense. He is a member of the Royal Chemical Society of London, of the American Chemical Society, and he has been engaged for years in research work for large firms, especially for the Arbuckle Mining Exchange. He is also a member of the Naval Consulting Board.

Dr. Jones has submitted plans for a device to protect ships against submarines. It is now being tried at one of the naval stations.

McCOWAN PRAISES UNSUNG HEROES

Heroines of the Home Honored in Inspiring Lecture

MANY TALENTED MAN

Author, Banker and Lecturer Tells About "Kings and Queens—Crowned and Uncrowned" at Chautauqua

Hervey Smith McCowan, who will deliver his lecture on "Kings and Queens—Crowned and Uncrowned," the last afternoon of Chautauqua, is a man of various talents and wide experience. He has succeeded as a lecturer, business man and author.

Some years ago Mr. McCowan was considered to be one of the foremost popular lecturers on the platform and was in great demand. Overwork caused a nervous breakdown and the lecturer left the rostrum for the cattle camps of the Southwest in the hopes of regaining his health.

HE KNOWS MEN

During his university days and later in his professional work he was associated with a so-called cultured class of people. Out in the great open places of the Southwest he met a different class of men. The dress suit and top hat were lacking and in their places were the corduroys, woolen shirts and slouch hats of the cattle men. He found, however, that the woolen shirts covered hearts that were as true as any that beat beneath the "white front" of the cultured man of the city.

He found that not all our heroes and heroines are recorded in the written history of the race. He found that the world is full of kings and queens and princes whose only crowns are the crowns of manhood and womanhood.

GLORIFIES HOME

Mr. McCowan glorifies the American home and lauds the unsung heroines of the kitchen and the hero fathers who toil with their hands in order that their children may have opportunities which were denied to them.

BOYS' TRAILS

Out among the big hearted men of the plains, where the air is pure and the food wholesome, Mr. McCowan regained his health and is today the personification of rugged strength and vigor. Out among the cattle trails at night Mr. McCowan had plenty of time for reflection and he thought back over the days of his boyhood and recalled the stumbling blocks which were in his path and which caused the ruin of many of his boyhood friends. This led him to write the story that has made him famous, "The Trail a Boy Travels." This story has been distributed in Iowa. More than 50,000 copies of this book called the boys' Pilgrim's Progress. Mr. McCowan lectured four times last year in both Des Moines and Marshalltown, using the same address each time.

2100 APPLY FOR OFFICERS

Of These 538 Men Will Be Chosen for Next Camp at Fort Riley, Which Opens August 27.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. St. Louis, July 16.—All applications for the second officers' training camp at Fort Riley, Kan., must be in by midnight tonight. The applications must be in the hands of Captain Barry at Jefferson Barracks here by that time to stand any chance of acceptance. Already about 2,100 applications have been received and from these Missouri's quota of 538 men will be selected.

The camp will open August 27. The first notifications to men to go to the Barracks for physical and mental tests will be sent out in a few days.

ADVISES USE OF MILK

Dr. M. P. Ravenel Says Swat H. C. of L. With This Product — A Perfect Food.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Columbia, Mo., July 16.—Use milk instead of eggs or meat, is the advice of Dr. M. P. Ravenel of the Department of Preventive Medicine of the University of Missouri to would-be swatters of Ole Hi Costa Living.

One quart of milk contains 640 food units, he says. It takes eight eggs to supply the same amount of food units. With milk at 11 cents a quart and eggs at 35c a dozen, this makes eggs about twice as expensive as milk.

Milk is much cheaper than meat, he says, as only one-half the meat we buy we can use due to bones, skin, fat, etc.

HARRISON COUNTY FAIR.

The Democrat-Forum is in receipt of the premium list and catalog of the Harrison County Fair which will be held at Bethany September 11-15. The catalog has 132 pages and besides a long list of stock and domestic prizes it has many other attractions, among them being over \$5,000 in prizes for races, 35 productions of Theatrical Duffield's fireworks in which is included the bombardment of the Dardanelles, a company with six acts of racing and educated animals, and Ruth Law, aviatrix, will give exhibition flights the last three days.

Will Whitney and daughter, Margaret Elizabeth, went to St. Joseph with Mr. Whitney's sister, Mrs. Earl Gruber, yesterday.

ORGANIZE HOME GUARD

Proposed Plan of Owners of Large Plants to Organize Employees Will Not Be Tolerated.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Jefferson City, July 16.—Governor Gardner today was preparing to issue a proclamation on organization of Home Guard companies.

"There are three methods," said Governor Gardner, "Sheriffs can organize posses constituting a home guard, police boards in large cities can do the same thing or Home Guard organizations can be effected under the military laws.

The governor said the proposed plan of owners of large plants to organize their employees and arm them will not be tolerated. The governor will be commander-in-chief of the Home Guard, just as he is of the militia. The government will equip the Home Guard and only reliable men will be commissioned as officers.

TERRIBLY SICK WOMAN

Surgical Operation Thought Necessary, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her.

Madison, Wis.—"I was a terribly sick woman for over three years. I suffered with terrible pains in my back and was about to have an operation when a friend said to me, 'Before having that operation just try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.' So I let the operation wait, and my husband bought me the Vegetable Compound and it has made me a well woman and we have a lovely baby girl. We cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound enough, and I hope this letter will lead other suffering women to try it."

—Mrs. BENJAMIN F. BLAKE, R.F.D. No. 5, Box 22, Madison, Wis.

There must be more than a hundred thousand women in this country who, like Mrs. Blake, have proven what wonders Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound can do for weak and ailing women. Try it and see for yourself. All women are invited to write for free and helpful advice to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass.



What Do You Know

About Your Blood Supply?

Your ignorance may startle you.

Few people know of the many functions of the blood supply, and just how important it is that it be kept absolutely free from all impurities. The health of the entire body depends upon the condition of the blood. You are invited to write and obtain a booklet that gives you some invaluable information on this important subject. It tells how to keep the blood strong and free from the many impurities to which it is constantly subject.

It gives the history of S. S. S., the world's most successful blood remedy, which has been sold for more than fifty years by druggists everywhere. This book will be sent free to all who write to Swift Specific Co., Dept. A, Atlanta, Ga.

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Friday and Saturday

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Why Waste Your Time Running Around?

Looking for a purchaser for whatever you have for sale? Democrat-Forum For Sale Ads will do the job at a small cost. Try them.

RATES IN THIS COLUMN.

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25¢ for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions, 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words: send money with the order. Ads should be in by 12 o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

PLUMBING—We make a specialty of installing modern plumbing in old houses and remodeling old plumbing; estimates free. Standard Plumbing Co., Han. 46.

WANTED—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, close to Normal. Address Mrs. E. Beggs, 602 S. Florence Ave., Kirksville, Mo. 13-18*

WANTED—Second-hand bicycle in good repair. Call Hanamo 301 between 12 and 1 o'clock. 16-18*

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife after July 13, 1917. Virgil B. Hyde. 16-18

HAVE your old mattresses made over like new. Feather beds renovated and made into mattresses, also all kinds of upholstering done. Sanitary Mattress Co., 222 South Buchanan. 16-18*

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FOR SALE—3 or 4 second hand cars, Ford in good condition. S. C. Clark, 209 North Market. 13-16*

FOR SALE—New 5-passenger Ford; 2 second-hand Fords; second-hand Buick, 5-passenger; second-hand Dodge, 5-passenger. Walter N. Wray at Maryville Laundry. 13-16

FOR SALE—Cow and calf. Cow gives 6 gallons of milk a day. A. S. Robey. 13-16*

FOR SALE—Six cylinder Chalmers truck. Call at Price & McNeals for demonstration. 16-18

FOR SALE—A few Woodstock typewriters at reduced prices. Call Han. 16-18*

3625 for a free demonstration. E. R. Adams. 16-21*

FOR SALE—Privately, at 521 South Buchanan street, \$100 dining room set, cheap; 3 nice rockers, davenport, library table, 2 pretty dressers, power washer, fireless cooker, beds and many other nice and useful articles. Call at 521 South Buchanan St. this week. 16-18*

LOST

LOST—Ford automobile casing, northwest of Maryville. Call Remus' store. 13-16*

LOST—Pocketbook containing \$5 bill at Wabash depot. Leave at Democrat-Forum office. 16-18

LOST—Lady's slipper between Vine and Cooper streets and hospital. Return to this office. 16-18*

Major General Sibert Noted Army Engineer

Among the major generals of the regular army recently advanced to that rank by President Wilson is William L. Sibert, recently brigadier general in command of the Pacific coast artillery district, with headquarters at Fort Wiley, San Francisco.

Press dispatches from France, presumably sent forward with the approval of General Pershing's staff, show that Major General Sibert is already in France and has been chosen to command the first force sent abroad under General Pershing as commander in chief of the expedition.

The new major general is a native of Alabama and will be fifty-seven years old next October. He was graduated



MAJOR GENERAL WILLIAM L. SIBERT.

from West Point in 1884 and assigned to the engineering corps. Since then he has been engaged principally in engineering work and is noted as the builder of the famous Gatun locks and dam on the Panama canal. During the Spanish-American war he took a battalion of engineers to the Philippines and, among other work, rebuilt the Dagupan railway. In 1914 he was selected by President Wilson as chairman of the board of engineers to examine the details of the American Red Cross project for the prevention of floods in eastern China.

Prevent Waste of Sugar And Failure of Jellies

Much waste of sugar and spoilage of jellies can be avoided by using a simple alcohol test recommended by the bureau of chemistry, United States department of agriculture. To determine how much sugar should be used with each kind of fruit put a spoonful of juice in a glass and add to it one spoonful of 95 per cent grain alcohol, mixed by shaking the glass gently. Pour slowly from the glass, noting how the pectin—the substance in fruits which makes them jelly—is precipitated. If the pectin is precipitated as one lump a cup of sugar may be used for each cup of juice. If in several lumps the proportion of sugar must be reduced to approximately three-fourths of the amount of the juice. If the pectin is not in lumps, but is merely precipitated, the sugar should be one-half or less of the amount of the juice. If the juice shows no precipitation under this test it is unsuitable for jelly making and must be combined with apples or other juices rich in pectin.

The housewife will do well before making the test to taste the juice, as fruits not as acid as good tart apples probably will not make good jelly unless mixed with other fruits which are acid.

Mother's Doll Story

The Sitting Hen

"Mother, where is my pet hen?" called Benny one morning.

"Did you look in her nest, my dear?" asked his mother.

Then Benny ran to the kitchen and looked in the pasteboard box that the cook had given him for his rag doll hen.

Betty was her name. She had flannel wings and tail sewed on to a gray felt body, and a bit of red flannel made her a charming comb.

Betty had scratched around the house to find some hay for a real nest, but there was no hay in the house. So she was glad to have a pasteboard box to lay eggs in.

And what do you think Benny found under her when he ran into the kitchen?

Why, three big candy eggs—molasses candy, you know. And then the cook gave him two gingersnaps, and, with Betty under his arm, he toddled off to eat an egg and a gingersnap out in the back yard under the big apple tree.

Conundrums.

What is the color of a grass plat covered with green? Invisible green.

Why did Adam bite the apple Eve gave him? Because he had no knife.

What word by changing a letter becomes its opposite? United—untied.

Why does a dressmaker never lose her books? Because she has an eye to each of them.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Grain Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Kansas City, July 16.—WHEAT—July, \$2.05; Sept., \$1.90. CORN—July, \$1.02½; Sept., \$1.57; Dec., \$1.09½.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, July 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 32,000; steers, \$9.13@9.55; cows, \$5.12@5.75. HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; top, \$15.80, bulk, \$14.75@15.70. SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000; market, 10¢ lower.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, July 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 21,000; market, 15¢ lower. HOGS—Receipts, 39,000; market, slow; top, \$15.80. SHEEP—Receipts, 20,000; market, 20¢ to 35¢ lower.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, July 16.—CATTLE—Receipts, 3,200; market, slow and lower. HOGS—Receipts, 12,000; market, 5¢ lower; top, \$15.75. SHEEP—Receipts, none.

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Roosters, per B. 19¢

Former Librarian Visits Parents.

J. A. McMillen, former librarian of the Maryville Public Library, is spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. McMillen of Pickering, Mo. McMillen is now chief librarian at the University of Rochester, in New York.

Guest at Pixler's.

Mrs. J. F. Pixler and little daughter, Marian of Omaha, Neb., were guests yesterday of Mr. Pixler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Pixler. Little Miss Marian will remain in Maryville for several weeks' visit.

Westbrooks Visiting Relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Westbrook of Marshall, Mo., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Westbrook's brother, Raymond Jones, near Arkoe. Before returning to their home they will visit friends and relatives in Maryville.

Mrs. William Lawler and son of Havelock, Neb., arrived in Maryville last night and are guests of Mrs. C. A. Lawler. Mrs. Lawler and little son will visit other relatives while in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hoffhine of St. Joseph motored to Maryville yesterday and were guests of Mrs. Hoffhine's sister, Miss Mae French.

Mrs. F. V. Howendobler, who has been visiting relatives in Maryville, left Saturday evening for her home in Kansas City.

Miss Beulah Bagby began work this morning at the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods store. Miss Bagby will have charge of the pattern department and Mrs. Lawler will take charge of the baby department.

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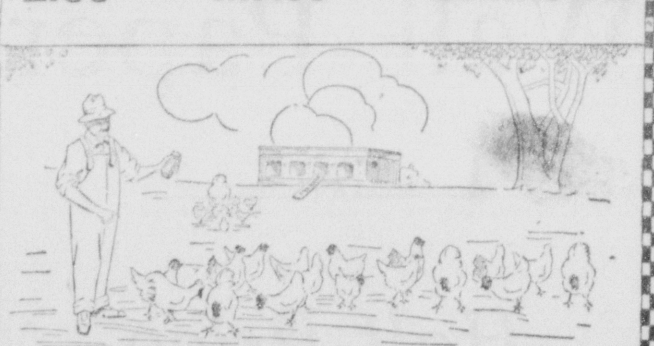
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TO AID AMERICANS FIRST

H. S. Red Cross Commission Will Help Home Soldiers Before Others, Say Leaders.

Washington, July 16.—Henry P. Davison, chairman of the Red Cross war council authorizes the following statement:

"Morning newspapers yesterday published a report that the American Red Cross is to use in Italy 100 million dollars out of the 100 million dollars and more recently subscribed. The report is without foundation, and it is important that the policy of the Red Cross in handling these funds be clearly understood.

"The Red Cross has announced 1 million dollars to provide immediate necessities in France, to be spent under the direction of the American Red Cross commission in France, headed by Maj. Grayson M. P. Murphy, a member of the war council. The Red Cross has also appropriated \$200,000 to purchase medical supplies and instruments, whereby the Red Cross commission to Russia may take care of more urgent needs upon arrival in that country.

Urgent Needs Increase Obligation.

"The sum of \$200,000 has been appropriated to purchase materials to supply most urgent needs in Romania. The sum of \$100,000 has been appropriated for use in Armenia, and \$6,500 has been appropriated to purchase drugs to be sent to the Russian Red Cross.

"Aside from the foregoing, no appropriations have been made by the war council for work in foreign countries. The need in all our allied countries is beyond computation, and use can be found for all funds which can possibly be obtained either now or in the future. That very fact imposes upon the Red Cross an extraordinary obligation, which it fully recognizes, to use the funds committed to it only after assuring itself not only that any proposed expenditures will do good, but that it will accomplish the greatest good relative to other needs which are crying to be supplied.

First Consideration for Americans.

The Red Cross has now at work in France a commission of experts, and it has more recently sent to Russia a similar commission. The expenses of these commissions are borne privately and are not a charge on Red Cross funds. It is the purpose of the Red Cross to send similar commissions to Italy and Rumania, and also to appoint a commissioner to Great Britain.

"It is also the policy of the war council to withhold any very large expenditures abroad until it is made certain that every necessary provision has been made to take care of our own soldiers and sailors."

Visited in Kansas City.

Miss Clara Hurd and her sister, Miss Ruby Hurd, of St. Joseph spent Saturday in Kansas City. Miss Ruby Hurd, who has been visiting her sister in Maryville has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flynn of Kansas City, who have been visiting relatives in Maryville, went to Clyde for a few days' visit with relatives.

John Murrin, who has been in St. Louis on business returned Friday to his home in Maryville.

AUSTRIA TIRES OF ITS ALLY.

Hate of World Directed Only Against Germany, Czech Leader Said.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Zurich, July 16.—The Austrian Reichsrat was thrown into an uproar Saturday when the former Czech minister, Herr Praschek, declared the hate of the entire world was not directed against Austria, but against Germany, and that Austria should detach herself from her ally, says a Vienna dispatch.

The speaker declared that Czech deputies had been imprisoned for attempting to bring about an alliance of Austria with Russia and France and added that if they were to be stigmatized as traitors then all Czechs who believed similarly should be so stigmatized.

Late Ravenwood Subscriptions.

The latest donation to the Red Cross fund from Ravenwood is \$37.50, given by the Willing Workers of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school and by other donors. The list follows:

\$8—Willing Workers class of the M. E. Sunday school.
\$5—C. C. Loomis, W. J. Wygal.
\$2.50—J. A. Dack, John Slagle.
\$2—Geo. Lewis, A. H. Stoneburner, R. F. Wells, Geo. O. Row.
\$1—J. V. Joy, Nina Deshazer, C. A. Hanks, Glen Goodson, W. F. DeLong, Roy Hunterston.
50¢—Effie Henry.

Here From Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Martin and their aunt, Mrs. Feris, of Des Moines, Ia., visited in Maryville yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery and Mr. and Mrs. M. Rittenour. Mr. Martin is president of the Peoples' Bank of Des Moines. He was formerly assistant cashier of the Northwestern Bank of Burlington Junction.

Eugene Cummins Enlists.

Eugene Cummins, son of Dr. and Mrs. K. C. Cummins has been accepted at the local recruiting station in the medical department of the United States army. He will leave this evening with Claude Middleton of Maryville, who has been accepted for the infantry.

Occupies Railroad Center.

Special to The Democrat-Forum. Rome, July 16.—Kornloff's army occupied an important railway center of Dolina. The Teutons are fleeing through the Carpathian mountains, according to a Petrograd dispatch.

St. Joseph Guest Here.

Mrs. A. D. Cole of St. Joseph was a week-end guest of her daughter, Miss Katherine Cole, who is attending the State Normal school.

The Rev. W. H. Rust of Burlington Junction was a business visitor in Maryville today.

W. S. Frayne of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting friends in Maryville.

C. Q. Smith left this morning for Kansas City, where he will spend a week visiting relatives.

Mrs. M. A. Martin has gone to St. Louis to visit her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Lippman.

Miss Hazel Lake, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Alice Lake, left last night for her home in Omaha.

Around the House

Much food is ruined by being stored where flies or other insects or rats and mice can get at it. Much cereal food is ruined because it is not protected against weevils or other insects.

Skim milk is regarded by many persons as unfit for human use. As a matter of fact, it contains practically all of the constituents of whole milk except the fat taken off in the cream.

Tired floors should be wiped over with skim milk once a week after they have been washed. It is a good plan to rub them over with linseed oil about once in two months and then to polish them with a soft cloth.

Whenever a hat, dress or any other article of clothing is discarded rip off the trimmings, cleanse them if they need it and put away in a box for future use.

Wash milk bottles as soon as empty and do not use such containers for any other purpose. Use pure water and do not wipe with a dish towel. Scalding and air drying are better.

Stale rolls and biscuits may be freshened by immersing them quickly in boiling water and putting them into a hot oven to dry out. They may be served hot and will taste as fresh as when first baked.

Suggestions For Using Butter Economically

Use butter economically. Select fat that is cheapest for a given use. Extend the country's resources by using fats from all available sources.

In many homes butter is allowed to become soft, in which state more is used than necessary. Butter added to vegetables during cooking means waste, as butter loses its seasoning quality by cooking. If economy is to be practiced add the butter just before removing the dish from the stove. In the preparation of many dishes butter can be supplanted in whole or in part by cheaper fats with little if any change in the flavor of the finished product. Even for table use some of the butter substitutes can be used where the dietary is not limited in variety of foods.

In salad dressings olive oil can be replaced by cottonseed oil, corn and peanut oil preparations. Since these are produced in this country they are cheaper than olive oil, which is largely produced abroad.

The trimmings from meat, usually kept at the market, unless the housekeeper especially requests them, may be used in suet or steamed puddings or rendered and used for deep fat frying.

Charged With Wounding Steer.

Brint R. Embree was arrested today on complaint of Charles Wells who charged Embree with maliciously wounding his steer. It is claimed this steer got into Embree's corn field and Embree shot at it, wounding it.

Mr. Embree waived preliminary hearing and was bound over to the circuit court. His bond was fixed at \$500 which was given.

Visited At Gaynor.

C. M. Miller of Bolckow, Mrs. Cenora Overman and daughter, Miss Myrtle and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Osborn motored over Sunday and were guests at the home of Mrs. Overman's brother, J. M. Holton and family, east of Gaynor.

Visiting Her Sister.

Miss Lois Johnson of Fayette, arrived in Maryville Friday and is spending several days at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Gray.